The Post calls attention to its Christmas Toy and Doll Fund. Toys or money received will be distributed to children who otherwise would be forgotten.

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Today and tomorrow—Cloudy, probably rain. Moderate southwest and south winds.
Yesterday—High, 52; low, 34. 1931—High, 60; low, 49.
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RED PEASANTS FORCE END OF GRAIN SEIZURE

Soviet Reported Ready to Substitute Tax for Collections.

IS FIRST IMPORTANT REVISION OF POLICY

Crisis Recognized in Scope of Opposition; Stalin to Outline Project.

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Berlin, Dec. 23.—Abolition of grain collections—a momentous change in the agrarian policy of the Soviet government—will be announced soon in Moscow, it was learned today from a Russian source generally regarded as reliable.

The change, if made, constitutes one of the most important steps taken since the new economic policy was laid down by Lenin in 1921.

The Russian government has decided to change its methods as a result of a highly-accentuated peasant opposition, which has caused no end of trouble through the fall and winter months.

Crisis Is Recognized.

The project for reform will be presented to an extraordinary session of the Communist central committee, the most important official body in Russia. Josef Stalin will personally enunciate the project in a keynote address which will break a silence that has lasted eighteen months.

A special session of the central committee is without precedent in Soviet history and the fact that Stalin will speak out indicates that the Bolsheviks are fully aware of the critical situation that has arisen in agricultural production and food supply. The Russian government is convinced that the matter should be given immediate attention.

After attempting to eliminate the peasant resistance by executing several score of Communists in north Caucausian villages during November, and after occasionally resorting to requisitioning of grain, the government leaders have decided on a system of taxation in place of the collection method.

Plan for New Tax.

It will be a tax in kind, based on acreage, the size of farms and the number of cattle kept. In essence, the new system will follow the 1921 "new economic policy" promulgated by Nikolai Lenin.

The central committee will meet January 5 and will continue through January 8 to draft the decree which will put the reform into effect.

The new acreage tax means a victory for the peasants. Although it entails no departure from the collectivization policy itself the tax will represent a Bolshevik concession to the peasants, who have been objecting to the arbitrary manner in which collections have been carried out. The policy will merely be held in abeyance instead of being discarded.

Unrest of Peasants.

The peasants have been dissatisfied with the circumstance that collections have been made from standing crops, thus penalizing the growers. Moreover, the method of collections has kept the Soviet farmer in a continual state of suspense. Since the government's agents after making the first collections might return for more.

Under the new acreage tax peasants will be told before their planting, the exact amount of tax to be demanded of them, thus stimulating them to increase their yield in order to have a surplus which the government will permit them to sell on the open market at uncontrolled prices.

Stalin, in his speech, is expected to admit the difficulties that have been encountered in dealing with the nation's economic situation, especially as regards food shortage.

Robber Refuses More Than $10

Masked Gunman Leaves Day's Receipts in Theft at Oil Station.

Refusing to take more, a masked robber held up and took $10 from M. S. Willis, an attendant at a filling station at Fourteenth street and Good Hope road southeast.

Willis had all of the day's receipts. The robber, with a white mask over his face and a blue steel revolver in hand, ordered Willis "to hand it over."

When Willis asked him what he wanted, the man said: "Ten dollars, and give it to me quick!" Willis complied and the robber departed on foot.

Man's Head Found in Trash

Check of Missing Persons List Started at Winchester After Gruesome Discovery in City Refuse Dump; No Trace of Body Is Seen.

Special to The Washington Post.

Winchester, Va., Dec. 23.—Winchester police tonight were checking over lists of missing persons from Virginia and other sections in an effort to learn the identity of the head of a man found in the city garbage dump earlier in the day.

A city employe removing the refuse came across the head, which had been severed at the upper part of the neck. It was badly decomposed and officials expressed the opinion that identification could probably be made only through dental work.

Shortly after the investigation started, Chief of Police C. W. Hollis said that the refuse where the head was found had been traced to the northwestern section of the city. All police officers were instructed to check over residents there to see if any one was missing or if rumors of recent foul play were prevalent.

Meanwhile, the entire garbage dump was gone over, but no trace of the remaining portion of the man's body was found. The head was put in alcohol.

BASIS OF OWNERSHIP OF GAS FIRMS LEGAL

P. U. C. and Two Companies Claim Victory After Long Antitrust Litigation.

The prolonged litigation over ownership of the Washington and the Georgetown Gas Light Companies was settled for the second time yesterday, this time without resort to trial, when Justice Peyton Gordon, in District Supreme Court, signed decrees modifying an order of the Public Utilities Commission and holding that the present set-up is wholly within the requirements of the La Follette anti-merger law.

Simultaneously, the commission issued an eight-page order reviewing the two-year inquiry and explaining the present division of the shares of the Washington & Suburan Companies, which the court held was similar to the Seaboard Investment Trust, a Massachusetts trust, which former Chief Justice Alfred A. Wheat in 1930 declared was not in violation of the La Follette act.

The immediate effect of the compromise will be to permit the stockholders of the local gas companies to vote their stock, an action denied them by the commission's order of last May. Management of the companies will remain entirely in the hands of local directors, according to counsel.

Both parties appear to be satisfied with the settlement and both sides claim to have gained a victory. The upshot of the whole matter appears to be that the local gas companies are still owned by foreign interests, which, however, come within the terms of the ineffective La Follette antimerger act, but that management of the Washington companies is now local and that no fees or excess profits are being passed along to outside corporations.

While consenting to the court order, the commission does not entirely close the case, retaining the right to question "the propriety of the holding of shares of beneficial interest of Washington and Suburban companies" if at any future time further facts or circumstances are produced which would warrant a further inquiry.

Trustees of the Washington & Suburban companies are further required to report to the District Supreme Court "any substantial transfer of the shares of beneficial interest of Washington & Suburban companies or any substantial interest therein."

Although the entire ownership setup of the local gas companies has undergone a shake-up, the only significant change since the issuance of the commission's order is the elimination of the Central Public Service Corporation, the Westfield Trust and A. E. Peirce from the picture. This,

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Policeman and Robber Die in Chicago Battle

Chicago, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—A special policeman and a robber were shot to death today in a pistol battle at a West Side office of the Commonwealth Edison Co. while fifteen customers and several employes cowered from the showers of lead.

Emil Nelson, private detective on guard at the place, became suspicious as a trio of bandits entered, and when one drew a revolver Nelson fired quickly, killing one. Another robber fired two bullets into Nelson's body, and the two robbers escaped with money taken from the cashier.

Police Capture Robbers And Loot; Notify Bank

Charlotte, N. C., Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Rural police early today captured three men, a 2-gallon bucketful of money, full equipment for blowing vaults, and notified the Farmers & Merchants Bank, of Stanley, Gaston County, it had been robbed of more than $3,000.

After capturing the men and recovering the money at the end of a 6-mile automobile chase, the rural officers telephoned Marsh Gavin, cashier of the bank, at 5 a. m., and told him his institution had been robbed. Gavin jumped out of bed, rushed to the bank and confirmed the statement.

ALLEGED PATRICIDE FREE UNDER BOND

Girl Says Abuse of Mother and Herself Prompted Fatal Shooting.

Newport News, Va., Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Frances Lassiter, a comely 15-year-old high school girl, today said brutal treatment of herself and her mother by her father was the reason she fired three shots into his body, last night, killing him.

The girl said her father, Alexander M. Lassiter, "beat me from the time I learned to walk, and he abused my mother on the slightest excuse."

"Last night I couldn't stand it any longer," she said.

Last night the girl asked permission to attend a Sunday school "kiddie party." At first, police said, her father refused the request, but later changed his mind and told her she might go.

There was a doll locked in a trunk in the girl's bedroom. She wanted to take it to the party. A search for the key was unsuccessful and the father offered his aid. He opened a closet door in the room and stumbled over some purchases, the police said, which Mrs. Lassiter had made, presumably for Christmas.

The girl told police, they said, that her father became enraged and berated his wife for making the purchases without his knowledge or consent.

The events that followed were not clear to the girl, she said.

Police said she drew a revolver from a bureau drawer. The first shot struck her father in the back as he stood in the closet door.

Her statement to police was placed in writing. There were no other witnesses. Her mother and small brother were in another room. Her story was told in a quiet voice, and her poise was not shaken.

She has been released by the Juvenile Court under $5,000 bond for a preliminary hearing next Thursday. Meanwhile she is paroled to her uncle, W. L. South, of Morrison, Va.

Holdup Women Draw Guns and Take $64

New York, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Two shabbily dressed young woman entered a lingerie shop on upper Broadway tonight, drew pistols from their handbags and held up the two saleswomen, escaping with $64 from the cash register.

Oil Painting Stolen From Art Gallery

Prize-Winning Portrait Is Taken From Academy at Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—With guards stationed at every door and a number of spectators walking through the long galleries, the thief today cut a large prize-winning oil painting from its frame in the Pennsylvania Academy of the Fine Arts and walked unnoticed from the building with the canvas.

The painting was "Portrait by Night," by Hilda Belcher, New York artist and magazine illustrator, who lent it to the academy after it won the Lippincott prize. It is about 4 feet high and 3 feet wide, and shows a girl in a red dress, with the light of a fireplace reflected on her.

Philadelphia critics said it was distinguished chiefly by the artist's treatment of light and shades. It is not, they said, an extremely valuable work. In an adjoining gallery are row on row of almost priceless works of colonial artists.

U. S. Trade Commission Member Operated Upon

St. Louis, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—E. A. McCulloch, member of the Federal Trade Commission, and formerly chief justice of the Arkansas Supreme Court, underwent an operation for ulcer of the stomach at a hospital here today. His condition was reported satisfactory tonight.

The operation probably will require him to remain in the hospital for several weeks.

PRE-HOLIDAY ACTIVITY FAST NEARS CLIMAX

Great Bustle Precedes Day of Days With Kiddies Aquiver.

SONGS AND CONCERT WILL FEATURE FETE

Roosevelt Offers Greetings and Will Listen to Christmas Rites.

The rustle of gift wrapping, the bustle of shopping traffic, the hustle of a city preparing for the day of days, rose to a great crescendo today. It is Christmas eve.

The day is here when kiddies walk around in a state of suspended animation; when wife eyes husband with expectation; when Uncle Sam's letter carriers are loaded to the utmost.

Taxi and tram ply their busiest today; Government workers are on a holiday and are shopping. Mothers lay out dozens of stockings for the inspecting eyes of their children. Santa and his reindeer are fleeting.

The arboreal symbol of Christmas—the anniversary of the birth of the Christ child—is seen everywhere. It is for sale on street corners; it grows suddenly adorned in the front yard; its tinseled branches peep from behind curtains.

Curtis to Light Tree.

Stamp of officialdom will be put on the celebration of the great day at 5 o'clock this afternoon when Vice President Curtis presses the button which transforms the national community Christmas tree south of the Treasury into a veritable spectrum of color.

A concert by the Marine Band will precede arrival of the Vice Presidential party. Senator Arthur Capper will make the introductory speech. The Vice President will press the button. Vocal and instrumental rendition of Christmas carols will then begin.

For an hour after the tree lighting ceremonies the music that has come down the ages with the eve of the sacred day will fill the air. The beloved songs will emanate from the boughs of the living spruce.

The manufacturer of a new amplifying device in conjunction with the Community Center Department arranged for reproduction, through phonograph records made by distinguished artists, of the music of the season.

The tree-lighting ceremony is to be broadcast over a Nation-wide hookup.

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McKee Initials Budget Which Passed Over Veto

New York, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Acting Mayor Joseph V. McKee tonight signed the $557,141,222.73 budget for 1933 which the municipal assembly passed over his veto earlier this week. He signed the document in bed at home, where he is recovering from a severe cold.

The mayor vetoed the budget originally because he considered as "piecemeal" a reduction of $585,000 which it embodied. After its passage over the veto, however, its enactment was required by December 25. Charles L. Kohler, director of the budget, said a $40,000,000 reduction pledged to the bankers would be made later. Half this cut is to be made in pay rolls.

SENATE BLOCKS MOVE FOR BEER ACTION AT ONCE

Issue Thrown Into New Year; Early Decision Then Pledged.

BINGHAM ATTEMPTS TO FORCE VOTE NOW

Defeated 23 to 48, as Lead in Opposition Is Taken by Democrats.

(Associated Press.)

The Senate smothered an effort yesterday to force immediate action on the House 3.2 per cent beer bill, throwing the controversy into the new year with assurance of prompt consideration there.

A single-handed attempt by Senator Bingham, Connecticut's tall white-haired Republican, to put the bill before the Senate failed by a vote of 23 to 48, with Democrats taking the lead in opposing the maneuver.

Defeated, Bingham drew applause from the galleries by hailing the vote as the death knell of hopes for "beer by Christmas" and adding:

"We will be lucky if we have beer by next Christmas."

Robinson Leads Opposition.

Senator Robinson, of Arkansas, leading the Democratic opposition, charged Bingham with seeking "partisan advantage," adding he was warranted in saying the bill would be given prompt consideration.

Senate leaders asserted the vote was not a test of strength on the beer issue, but merely meant the Senate wanted to consider the beer legislation in the usual manner, after study by its committees.

The House bill has been referred to the Senate judiciary committee, and Chairman Norris has called a meeting to begin its consideration next Monday.

It is more likely that action will be postponed until after the Christmas recess, because even Norris concedes it will be difficult to obtain a quorum of the committee Monday.

Bishop Cannon Looks On.

The Senate vote came yesterday after brief statements of their respective positions by Bingham and Robinson. The galleries were only partially filled, and there was none of the excitement which usually accompanies an important Senate action.

Sitting in the second row of the gallery, listening intently to the debate and voting, however, was Bishop James Cannon, jr., long a prominent figure in the prohibition cause.

Twenty-one Republicans joined with 26 Democrats and the lone Farmer-

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Overjoyed Father Dies Hearing News of Son

Los Angeles, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—H. B. Proudfit, 60, overjoyed at the prospect of seeing his son after a separation of several years, fell dead in the shopping district today, his arms laden with presents.

A retired business man, Proudfit suffered a fatal heart attack while purchasing gifts after his son had telephoned him from San Diego to announce he had just arrived from South America and was leaving for Los Angeles to spend the Christmas holidays at the father's home. Proudfit had not known his son had left South America.

Santa Claus En Route Here; Post Toy Fund Nears Goal

Workers Will Remain on Duty Today for Donations of Playthings or Money Lest Some Needy Child Face a Barren Christmas.

Cheered on by the shouts of happy children, The Post Toy and Doll Fund snowball rolled down the home stretch toward the $1,000 goal yesterday which will go far in giving every needy child in Washington a Merry Christmas.

Faintly over the city rang the echoes of Santa Claus' reindeer, setting forth from the North Pole with the merry old saint to visit the homes of all good children tonight.

Promptly at midnight Santa Claus will arrive over Washington. The Toy Fund officials will meet him on the city borders and escort him over the District line, with a guard of honor of $1,000 silver dollars and 10,000 toys and dolls, the regiment of happiness, bringing up the rear.

How does The Junior Post editor know this? Ah, well, she has learned to believe in the enduring good of humanity and she knows that the people of Washington have kind hearts. The visible evidence has been pouring into Santa Claus headquarters on the fifth floor of The Washington Post Building since Thanksgiving Day. Now in the last long mile of the race to success the Fund can not fail.

The full list of donors to the fund will be published tomorrow; that is, those not already published in the columns of The Washington Post. But the count at 1 p. m. yesterday showed the Fund within $10 of reaching the $900 mark.

It is not too late to do your part to help. Your dollar or your dime may be the last sum needed to put the Toy Fund over the top. Who would not feel proud of being the person who enabled the hard-working auditors of The Washington Post to

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Paul-Boncour Talks With Edge on Debts

Premier Says He Would Welcome Assistance in Accord Work.

Paris, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Premier Joseph Paul-Boncour, adopting his lead from Franklin D. Roosevelt's policy that the debt problem for the present can best be handled through diplomatic channels, made a surprise call on Walter E. Edge today and discussed the present situation frankly with the American Ambassador.

While the entire question was discussed in its general aspect, it was clear that M. Paul-Boncour sought to clear away the ground in order to know just how matters now stand, and, above all, to keep the discussions open preparatory to more definite negotiations when the Roosevelt administration comes into power.

American sources indicated that the premier expressed a frank desire to receive any assistance possible from the embassy and from Washington which would make it possible for him to take up the debt question in the Chamber of Deputies and to reach a solution as soon as one may be found.

There were no mincing words during the conference, it was asserted, and throughout a spirit of good will was shown on both sides.

Apparently the premier made no prediction about when the chamber

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might amend its attitude against payment of the December debt interest.

M. Paul-Boncour's dramatic visit to the embassy created much interest.

In Mr. Edge's office he was cordially greeted by the ambassador and by Counselor J. Theodore Marriner whom he knows well from Geneva disarmament conferences. Mr. Marriner acted as interpreter.

The premier appeared to be especially seeking information about how

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MOTHER OF JUDGE DISCOVERED SLAIN

Body Is Found in Office of St. Louis Dentist; He Is Being Sought.

St. Louis, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Mrs. Josephine Stark Elder, 71, mother of Conway Elder, former judge of the Missouri Supreme Court, was found beaten to death late today in the office of Dr. Squire P. Bevier, South Side dentist, whose wife told police he disappeared Saturday afternoon. He was being sought tonight.

Mrs. Elder's skull had been crushed by blows from a three-pound mallet, which was found in the dentist's operating room. The victim's right wrist and also four fingers on the right hand were broken, indicating she had raised her arm to shield herself from the blows.

Detectives tonight had been unable to establish any motive for the slaying.

Discovery of Mrs. Elder's body was made by police who forced their way into the locked office after former Judge Elder had asked that a search be instituted for his mother.

Dr. Bevier's wife said she had last seen her husband yesterday about noon. He returned home from his office, she said, and told her he had had trouble with a patient, but did not explain its nature. Police said they learned there were scratches on his face.

Former Judge Elder, who now practices law in St. Louis, said his mother left their home some time yesterday morning to keep an appointment with Dr. Brevier. She had been having difficulties with a set of false teeth, and had made frequent visits to the dentist's office.

Dr. Bevier is about 65 years old.

Missouri Residents Ask Vote Privilege

1,500 Federal Employes in Washington Write to Legislature.

In behalf of the 1,500 Federal employes in Washington having legal residences in Missouri, an appeal is being made to the Legislature of that State for enactment of an absentee voters' law.

Under the authorization of the Missouri State Society, an absentee committee, headed by Edward R. Williams, 12 S street northeast, has mailed a petition to every member of the Missouri Legislature, which convenes next month, urging the enactment of an absentee law in the 1933 session. Letters were also sent to Gov.-elect Guy B. Park, and Lieut. Gov. Frank G. Harris, asking their cooperation and support of the proposed legislation.

Missouri is one of the thirteen States which do not afford absentee voting privileges to legal residents.

Roosevelt Liberates 13 on Holiday Lists

Albany, N. Y., Dec. 23 (A.P.).—President-elect Franklin D. Roosevelt, as one of his last official acts as Governor of New York, today signed commutation orders that sent thirteen inmates of State prisons to their homes in time for Christmas and shortened the prison sentences of ten others.

The governor's orders liberated one man, Napoleon Monat, who had been in prison nearly 23 years for a murder committed in Duchess County.

ONE KILLED IN BLAST OF GRAIN ELEVATOR

Eight Burned, Some Rescued Heroically, as Chicago Plant Is Razed.

Chicago, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—An explosion turned a six-story grain elevator into a seething furnace today, killing one man and perhaps a second who was still missing tonight.

Eight others were burned, some of them rescued heroically from imminent death as 200,000 bushels of wheat, corn, barley and oats went up in flames and nearby concrete elevators containing more than 1,000,000 bushels more were menaced.

Walter Brazel, 28, was instantly killed as a blast hurled him through an elevator door. He died of a fractured skull.

Charles Duval, 39, scale inspector for the board of trade, was trapped at the top of a tower and probably perished in the roaring funeral pyre. His body could not be found, searing heat keeping firemen from inspecting the ruins. They believe he was catapulted into the Chicago River when the walls gave way and sent a torrent of blazing grain flowing over the bank to sizzle in the icy water.

The loss was estimated above $500,000, but probably short of $1,000,000. The elevator itself was a wooden structure, built in 1906 by the Santa Fe Railway whose freight yards skirt it. It contained expensive machinery, however.

The Stratton Grain Co., which leased the granary, said the grain loss was protected by insurance and that some damage might have been done by heat to the million or more bushels in the concrete elevators. Firemen kept streams of water splashing over these throughout the day to preclude the wheat firing.

The flames seemed to roar up spontaneously with an explosion, apparently of dust, in the upper part of the structure at 9:30 a. m. A succession of fire alarms brought 75 pieces of motor apparatus to the scene, and two fire tugs aided from the river until the tottering elevator walls threatened to fall on them.

The tug Graeme Stewart narrowly missed being engulfed by the collapse.

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Youthful Bandits Get $3,800 at Silk Plant

Philadelphia, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Their faces masked by handkerchiefs, three youthful robbers today held up four employes in the office of the tape and silk plant of J. Sullivan & Sons here and escaped with a $3,800 pay roll.

The intruders forced two women and two men in the office to stand with their faces toward a wall while they scooped the money into a cloth bag.

Clews Shed No Light On Murderer of Girl

Moline, Ill., Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Scattered and unsubstantial clues tonight had shed no light on identification of the slayer of Miss Rose Gendler, 22. Police of Moline and its two neighboring cities were baffled and an inquest was suspended to permit further questioning of several persons.

The girl's body, tied in a sack and badly mangled, was found on the ice under a nearby bridge yesterday morning. She had left a Davenport, Iowa, department store, where she was a clerk, Wednesday night, but did not return to her home at Rock Island, Ill.

DAVIS TO HEAR ROOSEVELT AIM ON WORLD ILLS

Possible State Secretary Seeks Accord After Seeing Hoover.

FRANCE ASKS EDGE TO GET STATEMENT

Outlook for Achievement on Disarmament Is Held Vastly Improved.

(Associated Press.)

Fresh speculation that attempts would be made to bring an agreement between President Hoover and Gov. Roosevelt on an approach to international problems arose yesterday as Norman H. Davis, high ranking Democrat, conferred with the Chief Executive and then left to see the President-elect.

Mentioned often as a possible Secretary of State in the next administration, Mr. Davis spent hours in discussions with the President and Secretary Stimson. He is to visit Gov. Roosevelt within a few days.

"I was making a report to the President on what has been done in the disarmament conference and in preparation for the world economic conference," Mr. Davis, who represented America at Geneva, said as he left the White House.

"Prospects, Greatly Improved."

"The prospects for achievement in the disarmament conference and in all other negotiations have been greatly improved by Germany's return to the conference. It was a great triumph to reconcile France and Germany and has made a tremendous difference in the political situation in Europe."

Replying to questions as to whether there was danger of the disarmament conference breaking up, Davis replied:

"Europe does not want it to break up. If that conference breaks up, there will be no world economic conference, and the desire for such a conference is universal."

Resume Conferences Soon.

Davis said he expects to return to Washington in a few days to resume conferences with Secretary Stimson and economic experts concerning the economic conference and disarmament.

When asked if war debts, disarmament and economic problems were not all so intertwined that it is impossible to discuss them separately, Davis replied that sometimes problems can be handled better separately and sometimes they can be discussed to better advantage in groups, but that the world is in such a situation it is necessary to seek means of bettering conditions.

These were the three problems upon which President Hoover sought the cooperation of the President-elect in appointing an exploratory commission. Gov. Roosevelt contended solution of economic problems should not be made more difficult now by involving them in the other two.

In Washington, meanwhile, a source close to the administration stated that Mr. Hoover would make

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Hoover Signs Bill to Sell Navy Clothing to Needy

(Associated Press.)

President Hoover late yesterday signed the resolution authorizing the Secretary of the Navy to sell obsolete and surplus clothing at nominal prices for distribution to the needy.

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816 OFFICERS GET SENATE APPROVAL

Democrats Set on Blocking Other Nominations of Hoover, However.

(Associated Press.)

Routine nominations of 816 officers for promotions in the Army, Navy and Marine Corps were granted confirmation yesterday by Senate Democrats as they had promised, but their consent in this instance had no bearing on other Hoover appointments, which they are intent on blocking.

The Coast Guard and Public Health Service in which there are usually dozens of routine promotions requiring confirmation, also were excepted with the military services from the party's ban, and will be confirmed as received.

An attempt by Senator Robinson, of Arkansas, the Democratic leader, to obtain confirmation of G. Wallace W. Hanger, for reappointment to the board of mediation, came to naught when Chairman Couzens (Republican), Michigan, insisted it be referred to the interstate commerce committee for a report.

The Democrats, at a party conference earlier yesterday, had decided to seek confirmation of Hanger, Robinson announcing this was because his term expired Decemer 31, and there were about 300 cases pending which required his reappointment.

Couzens, who promised Robinson he would report the nomination soon, told newspapermen his reason for requesting that it be referred to committee was that he "had never heard" of the nominee and thought the committee should report on it. He promised Robinson that the committee would meet January 3 and report immediately to the Senate.

When the Democrats agreed to referring the nomination, Senator Moses (Republican), New Hampshire, asked Robinson if he were willing that several hundred other nominations, including postmasters and several commissioners, be sent to committee.

Robinson replied "no," and reminded Moses that he could, by objecting, block reference to Hanger's name if he wished.

"Oh, no," replied Moses, "I would not object to the confirmation of as good a Democrat as Mr. Hanger."

Moses had no other comment, nor was any attempt made by other senators to obtain action on nominees other than the military service promotions, which included 422 in the

Garner Would Bar Grounds Extension

Asks House Group to Deny $240,000 for West Capitol Project.

Speaker Garner yesterday asked the House appropriations deficiencies subcommittee not to grant President Hoover's request for $240,000 to purchase condemned land west of the Capitol asked by the commission on enlarging the Capitol Grounds.

Speaker Garner does not think Capitol grounds' extension and "beautification" is necessary. Vice President Curtis thinks it is. Both are members of the commission that voted 6 to 3 for the extension, but Speaker Garner said that he, Republican Floor Leader Snell and Representative Lanham (Democrat), Texas, cast the three dissenting votes. In the long run, Garner said, the extension project west of the Capitol would cost the Government $3,000,000, and less than 10 per cent of this amount would go to labor.

"I've been coming here for 30 years and getting along all right without all this beautifying," said the Speaker. The architect of the Capitol and Senate members of the commission side with Vice President Curtis.

Persia Is Prepared For Quiet Oil Talk

Teheran Hopes to Reach Peaceful Agreement With London.

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Teheran, Persia, Dec. 23.—Persia is ready to meet any move by Great Britain looking toward direct negotiations for settlement of the dispute over cancellation of the Anglo-Persian Oil Co.'s concession, the United Press was informed by a high government source today. Persia, in fact, is hopeful that the controversy can be settled in a "give and take spirit."

Editorials inspired by the Persian government are urging that the Anglo-Persian company initiate these negotiations, and that the British government, which owns the controlling interest in the company, withdraw from the actual discussions.

The newspaper Ettelaat said today that a mutually satisfactory solution can be reached sooner if the British government does not intervene in the dispute, referring to Great Britain's action in placing the matter before the League of Nations council.

Yesterday in Congress

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SENATE.

Met at noon and recessed at 1:55 until noon Tuesday.

Declined to take up Bingham beer bill by a vote of 48 to 23.

Senator Grammer (Republican), Washington, in his first speech in the Senate, suggested a one-year moratorium on all contracts.

Senator Walsh (Democrat), Massachusetts, told the Senate Democratic caucus the Senate should do something about its own budget before March 4.

Oscar H. Brinkman, rent investigator, charged "unlawful combination" of real estate agents at hearing of Senate District rent investigating subcommittee.

Senator Norris (Republican), Nebraska, introduced resolution to abolish electoral college.

HOUSE.

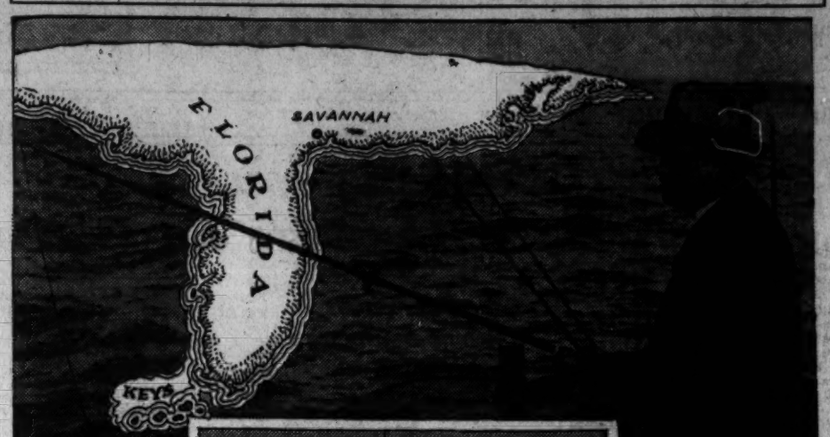
Met at noon and recessed at 12:45 until noon Tuesday.

Received the District traction merger bill from the Senate.

Speaker Garner appeared before the House appropriations deficiencies subcommittee against $243,000 appropriation for extending Capitol grounds.

Chairman Cochran, of House expenditures committee, following a meeting of the body, announced he will seek blanket disapproval of President Hoover's reorganization proposals after Christmas.

PRESIDENT PLANS HOLIDAY FISHING CRUISE



Associated Press Photo.

President Hoover, an enthusiastic angler, will drop official cares for a week's fishing cruise off the Florida keys during the Christmas holidays. It is to be his last vacation as Chief Executive. The Department of Commerce boat Sequoia (inset) will be used on the trip. The President and his party plan to go aboard at Savannah, Ga.

DAVIS WILL SEEK ROOSEVELT'S VIEW

Outlook for Achievement of Disarmament Is Held Vastly Improved.

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no reply to a statement issued Friday night by Mr. Roosevelt expressing surprise at the President's remark that his successor-elect had considered it "undesirable" to cooperate on the debt, disarmament and world economic conference problems.

The President was represented as feeling that the New York Governor's suggestion that he appoint his own fact-finding commission had made no change in the situation. He held fast to his decision that such an agency would be of little real value unless it could continue active after March 4.

The Chief Executive has indicated a willingness, however, to deal with any immediate problems in international affairs. He discussed today with Secretaries Stimson and Mills the problems surrounding the debt default by France.

There was interest in the Capital over the call upon Ambassador Edge in Paris by Premier Joseph Paul-Boncour, asking the ambassador to communicate with officials here. Neither White House nor State Department sources, however, would comment pending receipt of word from Edge.

The general feeling in administration circles is that few of the debtor nations will care to treat with the Hoover administration in view of the fact that only nine weeks remain of its existence.

It was stated authoritatively yesterday that John H. Williams and Edmond E. Day, American representatives on the agenda committee of the world economic conference, probably will return to the meeting of experts scheduled for January 9. Indication was given, however, that the American delegates would not commit the United States to any course pending the inauguration of Mr. Roosevelt.

President Hoover himself late yesterday laid aside temporarily both national and international problems, turning southward for a fishing trip which probably will extend over the next ten days.

EDGE IS CONSULTED BY PAUL-BONCOUR

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Washington feels the debt problem should be handled.

In French circles tonight it was stated that M. Paul-Boncour's visit was the result of his desire to carry on the discussions and to keep the ball rolling, although it was added that naturaly it would be difficult to reach any decisions of consequence until the Democrats come to power.

Mr. Edge will make a full report to Washington. After Christmas, when he has heard from Washington, he will return the premier's call.

Finance Minister Henri Cheron informed the finance committee of the Chamber today that vigorous steps would have to be taken to balance the budget. Unless the deputies agreed to necessary measures, he said, he would resign and the cabinet with him.

M. Cheron said the funds on hand were sufficient until the end of the year, but it would be necessary to find funds for January. He asked the right, if the situation demanded, to issue a maximum of 5,000,000,000 francs (about $200,000,000) in treasury bonds. He said that in January he would present projects for balancing the budget.

Snow Virgin and Child In Park Done by Priest

The Rev. Donald Pierce, of the Anglican Catholic Church, is the sculptor who created the snow statue of the Blessed Virgin and the Christ Child, The Post learned last night.

The clergyman-artist is attached to Bellevue Hospital, in New York, and is visiting here. He is staying at 116 Kentucky avenue southeast.

Father Pierce said that sculpturing is a hobby of his and his chief form of expression is the re-creation of famous religious art masterpieces. He majored in art at college, he said. The Madonna and Child, in Rock Creek Park, which attracted scores to the snow-swept valley yesterday, was done in a little more than an hour.

Hoovers and Party of Seven Off for Yule Trip in South

First Lady Regrets Breaking Custom of Attending Mission's Children's Party; Home Gatherings Arranged by Women Members of Congress.

On Board Presidential Train en Route to Savannah, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Leaving the cares of office behind, President Hoover appeared in a relaxed and happy mood tonight as he sped Southward toward a ten-day fishing cruise in Georgia and Florida waters.

The Chief Executive and Mrs. Hoover, with seven guests and immediate aids, looked forward to setting sail from Savannah almost immediately after their arrival there at 8:30 a. m. tomorrow, and to wetting a line by noontime.

The presidential party left Washington at 8 o'clock tonight aboard two special cars attached to the Southern Limited.

(Associated Press.)

Mrs. Herbert Hoover, declaring yesterday for a yuletide holiday devoted to her own family—a Florida fishing trip with the President—struck the intimate note that the Christmas bells seemed to be ringing for all officialdom.

Mrs. Hoover told a group of mothers at Central Union Mission she was sorry she would have to break her custom of attending their children's Christmas party, but that the President's need came first.

"He has been working so hard, for so long, he really needs a little attention from me at Christmas time, more than any one else," said Mrs. Hoover. "He needs to get away from desks and work."

The Hoovers arranged to entrain at 8 o'clock last night, with a party of seven, for Savannah first, and then a slow-drifting Christmas cruise down the inland passage to Florida, and out upon the ocean.

The party included Justice Stone, of the Supreme Court, and Mrs. Stone; Senator Austin, of Vermont, and Mrs. Austin; Mark Sullivan, writer; Dr. Joel T. Boone, White House physician, and Lawrence Richey, one of the President's secretaries.

A fishing "fleet," with the 116-foot Department of Commerce Sequoia as flagship, awaited them at Savannah. It included the Kilkenny, almost as large, and three shallow draft Coast Guard boats for Secret Service and the press.

St. Catherines Island, where Secretary Chapin, of the Commerce Department, has a home, was tentatively chosen as the spot to spend at least part of Christmas Day—between castings for sea trout.

Vice President Curtis chose a home Christmas with his grandchildren, Anne and Curtis George, their parents, Col. and Mrs. Charles R. George, and, of course, Mr. and Mrs. Gann.

"A day of real reat at home," was the Christmas choice of Speaker John N. Garner and Mrs. Garner.

For many Cabinet members "the family" gathered in.

Secretary Stimson had as guest his sister, Miss Candace Stimson. To Secretary Mills' home came Mrs. Mills' daughter, Miss Dorothy Fell, her son, John Fell, jr., and his wife. Secretary Hyde's daughter, Carolyn, came with two guests. Secretary Adams welcomed his son, Charles Francis Adams, jr.

Home Christmas celebrations were also held by Secretaries Hurley and Doak, Attorney General Mitchell and Postmaster General Brown.

Secretary Wilbur motored to Florida to inspect the proposed Everglades Park. Secretary Chapin went to his home in Grosse Point, Mich.

Senate and House dissolved into scores of home holiday parties. Senator Hattie Caraway had all three of her sons home for Christmas, and two of them had birthdays to celebrate during the holiday season. Representative Ruth Bryan Owen flew to Florida for a family house party, to be joined there by her friend, Fannie Hurst. Representative Edith Nourse Rogers was bound for her birthplace in Maine; Representative Ruth Pratt went to a New York holiday with her children and grandchildren.

MOVE FOR IMMEDIATE VOTE ON BEER BLOCKED IN SENATE

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Laborite, Shipstead, of Minnesota, to block Bingham's move. A dozen Democrats and eleven Republicans voted to take the beer bill up immediately.

Bingham's motion to take up beer drew immediate opposition from Robinson, who had been authorized to speak for his party only a few minutes earlier at a Democratic conference.

"There is no disposition upon the part of any one for whom I speak to delay unduly the consideration of the legislation," Robinson said. "As every one must realize, there is a constitutional or legal question involved in the legislation, and for that reason the House measure has been referred to the committee on judiciary."

Bingham replied that he made his motion in order to speed action, fearing undue delay if the beer bill were referred to two committees, as now proposed by Senate leaders.

Fears Long Delay.

The Connecticut senator said he was afraid it would be impossible to obtain action at this session if the measure was sent to committee. He predicted the bill would "just drag along" if sent to committee and probably would not get back to the Senate before the middle of February.

After the vote Robinson denied the Democrats wanted to delay enactment of the measure, saying senators had an obligation not only to their party platforms but to the Constitution.

"I feel warranted in declaring that prompt consideration will be given to the subject and that action will be taken in a reasonable time."

Pledges Action on Issue.

Senator Walsh (Democrat), Massachusetts, asked Robinson if there developed an attempt to filibuster the bill in committee whether he would move to discharge the committee.

"Beyond any question," Robinson replied. "I hold myself and the party to which I belong committed to the policy of passing upon this question, and I carry that responsibility unhesitatingly and with resolution."

Robinson said Bingham was "trying to embarrass some one and make it appear some one was not loyal to his party." "It was very poor strategy on Senator Bingham's part," he added.

Senator Vandenberg, Michigan Republican, indorsed Robinson's position. He said he intended to "validate the mandate" which he said was given him by the Michigan electorate, but asserted he did not "propose to be rushed into this."

Senate Vote on Move To Take Up Beer Bill

The Senate roll call on the Bingham motion to take up the beer bill follows:

Republicans for the motion:

Bingham, Blaine, Davis, Grammer, Johnson, La Follette, Moses, Oddie, Schall, Shortridge and Watson—11.

Democrats for:

Bulkley, Coolidge, Copeland, Dill, Hawes, Lewis, Reynolds, Trammell, Tydings, Wagner, Walsh of Massachusetts and Wheeler—12.

Total for, 23.

Republicans against:

Austin, Borah, Capper, Carey, Couzens, Dale, Dickinson, Fess, Frazier, Hale, Hastings, Howell, Norbeck, Norris, Nye, Patterson, Robinson of Indiana, Smoot, Thomas of Idaho, Vandenberg and White—21.

Democrats against:

Ashurst, Bailey, Bankhead, Barkley, Black, Bulow, Byrnes, Caraway, Cohen, Connally, Costigan, George, Gore, Harrison, Hayden, Hull, Kendrick, King, Logan, McGill, McKellar, Robinson of Arkansas, Sheppard, Smith, Thomas of Oklahoma and Walsh of Montana—26.

Farmer-Labor against:

Shipstead of Minnesota—1.

Total, 48.

Those paired or announced for the Bingham motion were: Republicans, Glenn, Illinois; Barbour, New Jersey; Reed, Pennsylvania; Walcott, Connecticut; Metcalf and Hebert, Rhode Island, and Steiwer, Oregon—7.

Paired or announced against: Democrats, Fletcher, Florida; Bratton, New Mexico; Swanson, Virginia; Pittman, Nevada; Stephens, Mississippi—5. Republicans, Brookhart, Iowa, and Hatfield, West Virginia—2.

Absent and not paired: Democrats, Long and Broussard, Louisiana; Neely, West Virginia; Glass, Virginia—4. Republicans, Keyes, New Hampshire; Goldsborough, Maryland; Townsend, Delaware; McNary, Oregon; Cutting, New Mexico; Kean, New Jersey, and Schuyler, Colorado—7. Total not included in roll call, 25. Total voting, 71. Grand total, 96.

Governors to Talk Cotton.

Jackson, Miss., Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Seven Southern governors and governors-elect will meet in Memphis December 29 for a "full discussion" of methods to control cotton production looking to an increase in the staple's price, Gov. Sennett Conner announced here today.

HOOVER WILL CRUISE AMID 'GOLDEN ISLES'

Plans to Fish and Hunt in Section Crowded With Historic Romance.

Sea Island Beach, Ga., Dec. 23 (A. P.).—A quiet cruise among the "Golden Isles of Guale" and a visit with his distant cousin will mark President Hoover's celebration of Christmas.

Howard E. Coffin, who will be host to the Chief Executive, is a member of the Coffin family that went West with the Hoovers from the Carolinas in covered wagons in the early 1800's and settled on adjoining claims in Ohio.

At the Coffin estate on Sapelo Island the President and Mrs. Hoover will be guests at Christmas dinner Sunday evening during which a group of Negro singers will sing the spirituals which so delighted President and Mrs. Coolidge during their visit here in 1928.

Angle for Rockfish.

Arriving at Savannah by train from Washington tomorrow morning, President Hoover is expected to angle for rockfish in the Ogeechee River during the morning before boarding the Sequoia for St. Catherines Island, where he will spend the night.

Sunday morning will find Sequoia moving along the inland route toward Sapelo Island which is one of the six "Golden Isles of Guale," a part of the northern province of Florida. These islands lying along the Florida coast were given this name on old charts and have been crowded with history and tradition for nearly four centuries.

The presidential boat is expected to dock in the old careening grounds of the Blackbeard when it arrives here Sunday. The home of Howard Coffin is built around and within the walls of a house built on Sapelo Island in 1805.

Plans to Hunt Ducks.

Tentative plans call for a duck hunt Monday, when the President will have an opportunity to shoot mallard and teal, which are plentiful this season. He will also fish for big-mouth bass during the day. A hunting expedition into the Sea Island game preserve from which the President's Christmas turkey was taken, may be made Tuesday. Wild turkeys and deer abound in the preserve.

As the Sequoia proceeds into Florida waters later in the week it is expected the President will pause at Sea Island Yacht Club, where the timbers for Old Ironsides were cut and loaded, and that he may visit the historic Fort Frederica, on St. Simons Island. From there he will sail past Jekyl Island, home of the famous Jekyl Island Club and of the late George F. Baker and others prominent in American finance.

Cumberland and Amelia Islands will be the last of the "Golden Isles" before the presidential party passes into Florida waters for the rest of the holiday cruise.

Youth Saves Four After Mother Dies

Son Helps Father, Sisters and Friend to Safety After Explosion.

Arrowhead, Alta., Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Nineteen-year-old Ralph Leonard today saved the lives of his father and three girls when an explosion killed his mother and fire threatened his home.

Mrs. Leonard had poured kerosene on the fire in the stove. Flames from the resulting explosion spread quickly through the kitchen. Other members of the family were asleep upstairs at the time. The youth ran downstairs, carried his mother's body outside and then aroused other members of the household. He helped his 17-year-old sister, Marjorie, and a friend, Mary Mitchell, to escape through a window he had broken and down a ladder.

He placed a ladder below the window of his father's room and brought him to safety. Thereupon he rushed back to save his 10-year-old sister, Gladys, whom he found unconscious under the dining room table. The house was badly damaged.

Mrs. Wingo's Son Better At Bridgeport Hospital

Bridgeport, Conn., Dec. 23 (A.P.).—The condition of Otis T. Wingo, jr., critically injured in an automobile accident last Sunday, was reported as greatly improved at Bridgeport Hospital tonight.

His mother, Representative Effiegene Wingo, of Arkansas, has remained at his bedside. Young Wingo is a Princeton student.

Spain Revokes Church Subsidies.

Madrid, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Congress today passed the Albornoz project to abolish clerical subsidies despite efforts of Agrarian, Radical Republican and religious organizations to quash the measure. The Socialists formed the backbone of the government's support. The action abolished subventions affecting 40,000 humble priests, who claimed to lack other incomes.

Midnight Mass Suspended.

Havana, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—By order of military authorities, the traditional "Misa del Gallo"—the midnight mass at which Catholics ushered in Christmas Day—has been suspended this year in Havana Province. The authorities took the action over protests from religious organizations. They expressed fears that disorders might occur.

Cheaper Food One Gift For U. S. This Christmas

(Associated Press.)

With farm prices lower than at any time since the war, Mr. Average Citizen will be able to set his Christmas table at a considerable saving this year.

A low-cost Christmas dinner recommended by the Bureau of Home Economics is estimated to cost $1.87 for five persons compared to $2.27 a year ago.

It calls for chicken and stuffing, mashed potatoes and gravy, turnips, cranberry sauce, pumpkin pie, coffee, and milk for the children.

EBLE MAY RETURN TO POST IN BERLIN

Customs Commissioner to Resign Present Job for Old Place.

(Associated Press.)

F. X. A. Eble, commissioner of customs, is expected to resign his post within a few weeks and return to Berlin as Treasury attache, the position he held before being promoted to his present duties.

The commissioner has applied to the Civil Service Commission for reinstatement and the application has been granted, which would make him eligible for reappointment to the Berlin position, which now is vacant.

The commissioner also is said to be considering a number of commercial offers.

He has been in the Government service since 1914 when he entered the Army.

After the World War he joined the war loan staff in the Treasury and later was sent to Berlin.

Germany Planning Huge Job Program

Agent Informs Hindenburg Employment Situation Has Become Acute.

Berlin, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Guenther Gereke, who reported today to President von Hindenburg on the job creation activities he is administering, subsequently revealed that the unemployment problem had become so acute it was beyond the capacity of private employers to grapple with and necessitated immediate state intervention.

Commissioner Gereke especially emphasized that the stability of the mark will not be endangered by a provision of 500,000,000 marks (almost $119,000,000) for execution of an immediate job creation program. A special credit committee will control the financing so that nonessential expenditures will be avoided.

The Reichsbank and other financial institutions have planned to extend lowest term credits, repayable within twenty years. The sum of 20,000,000 marks (about $4,760,000) already has been earmarked in the 1933-34 Reichs budget for mortgages on farmhouses to be built, Commissioner Gereke stated.

Mental Patient's Plunge Prevented

Woman Tries Suicide at Chicago Hospital, But Is Rescued.

Chicago, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Dangling from the roof of the Psychopathic Hospital for 20 minutes, a woman patient gave a crowd of spectators a thrill and gave attendants a furious battle as they tried to rescue her today.

The woman, Mrs. Mary Miller, 44, had fled to the roof and dashed to the edge, attendants in pursuit. They grasped her wrist as she leaped and held her determindly despite her efforts to break free. She bit and slashed the hands of the attendants. Firemen arrived in time to raise ladders and take the woman down.

A young woman, identified as Mrs. Gertrude Watt, horrified workers in a downtown office building today by leaping from the seventeenth floor to the screen over an inner court at the ninth floor. Engineers had to cut the screen to remove her. She was taken to a hospital with fractured limbs and skull and died half an hour later.

Virginia Highway Cost Put at $170,000,000

Richmond, Va., Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Virginia's State primary highway system thus far represents an expenditure of $170,000,000, the department of highways' figures today showed. This expenditure included costs of construction, maintenance and allocations for both made this year.

During the period since the system was started the construction of the system has cost $120,000,000. The maintenance cost has been $52,000,000. State Highway Commissioner Henry G. Shirley said present "hard times" are not expected to affect the maintenance work during the fiscal year beginning next July 1, but the "pinch will come in funds available for construction on the primary system."

ONE KILLED IN BLAST OF GRAIN ELEVATOR

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ing west wall when, warned by radio to move to a safer place, it found itself mired in the Chicago River mud, and unable to back away. Another tug was called to its aid and only a few minutes after the fireboat was pulled off the river bed the walls toppled over.

Thirty-four employes were in the building when the blast touched off the fire. Most of them were able to escape to the open, several by sliding down ropes from windows. Emil Bueling, 21, lowered himself, hand over hand, down an 80-foot cable. Patrick Garrity found himself marooned on top of a tower and ran around frantically to keep out of the flames until a fire squad shoved up a ladder that barely reached to him.

(Associated Press.)

As fire destroyed the six-story grain elevator at Chicago yesterday, Federal investigators working under Dr. David J. Price, chief of the Department of Agriculture's chemical engineering department, began a preliminary inquiry to determine whether the flames resulted from a dust explosion.

Price said engineers would be started toward Chicago at once if reports established that exploding dust caused the million dollar tragedy.

The bureau of chemistry and soils has been working for years on dust explosion prevention. Experiments have been carried on at Arlington, Va., in an effort to minimize the damage caused by such industrial accidents.

Fifth Caress Kidnaper Sentenced.

Los Angeles, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Ray Wagner, fifth member of the Sheldon gang convicted for kidnaping E. L. "Zeke" Caress, wealthy betting commissioner, was sentenced today to serve ten years in Folsom State Prison. Others sentenced before him were Ralph Sheldon, Louis Frank, Bill Baillie and Jessie Orsatti.

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OWNERSHIP STATUS OF 2 GAS COMPANIES IS RULED LEGAL

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however, was accomplished by the refinancing of Central Public Service, largely, rather than the commission's influence.

Changes in Ownership.

Referring to this elimination, the commission's order stated: "The main objective of the commission was to free the Washington Gas Light Co. from their dominance, the managerial control, attempted to be exercised by the Central Public Service Corporation or any other outside agency. This objective, the commission is convinced, has been attained."

The changes in ownership of the local gas companies since the issuance of the commission's order last May are summarized in the new order as follows:

"All ownership or control, direct or indirect, by the Central Public Service Co. and its subsidiaries has ceased; 1,900 shares of the 6,000 shares of the Washington & Suburban companies are held directly by the so-called Chase National Bank group; 1,200 shares are held by the wholly independent Utility and Industrial Corporation; and 1,000 shares are held by the wholly independent Continental Illinois National Bank & Trust Co. (Chicago).

Interlocking Holdings.

"The remaining 1,800 shares are distributed between Public Utility Holding Corporation of America (900) and the United Founders group (900). A careful examination of the interlocking holdings of these two groups indicates that the United Founders Corporation and its subsidiaries own a substantial but by no means controlling interest in Public Utility Holding Corporation of America, and that the Chase group are also owners of a substantial interest in the Public Utilities Holding Corporation of America through the Public Utilities Associates, Inc., an Chase, Harris, Forbes Corporation of New York.

"It would appear from the above analysis that all of the common shares of beneficial interest of the Washington and Suburban companies are at present held at two national banks which are forbidden by law to be public utility holding or operating companies, and by practically independent corporate entities.

"Under these circumstances, in the light of the facts now before it, and of the decision of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia in Public Utilities Commission vs. Seaboard Investment Trust, the commission is of the opinion that so long as conditions now existing remain unchanged, it should interpose no objection to the owning and voting of the stock of the Washington Gas Light Co. by the trustees of the Washington and Suburban Companies. Provided, that due provision is made for the prompt report of any change or changes in said conditions, and it is understood that the commission reserves to itself the right, at any time, to take such action as it may deem appropriate."

Appeals Were Withdrawn.

The several owners of the gas company, named in the commission's first order, with the exception of the Central Public Service Corporation and the Westfield Trust, whose appeals were withdrawn, likewise retained their rights "to contend that the Public Utilities Commission was without jurisdiction or authority to make or hold the investigation * * * or to conduct any other investigation or to make any other order or orders of the same or similar nature."

The commission's new order reviews its activities during the past two years with relation to the gas company ownership inquiry and then states that all of the shares of beneficial interest of the Washington & Suburban Companies, formerly held by the Westfield Trust, which was headed by Mr. Peirce, have been transferred to other parties.

There were originally 171,993 of such shars, the commission explains, but these were reduced to 6,000 prior to the transfer "for the purpose of saving transfer fees." The new owners are listed as follows:

Affiliated Corporations.

Chase National Bank, 1,800; Public Utility Associates, Inc., 600; Public Utility Holding Corporation of America, 900; United Founders Corporation, 480; American & General Securities Corporation, 180; Second International Securities Corporation, 120; U. S. & British International Co., Ltd., 120; American Equities Corporation, 100; Utility & Industrial Corporation, 1,200, and Continental Illinois Bank & Trust Co., 1,000.

The District Supreme Court in its decrees, finding that the Washington & Suburban Companies was similar to the Seaboard Investment Trust and therefore was not operating in violation of the La Follette act, ordered the commission's order modified so as not to require the Chase Harris Forbes Corporation, the Public Utility Holding Corporation of America, the Washington & Suburban Companies "and all related and affiliated corporations, companies," &c., to surrender their stock.

The court order culminates a series of conferences between William A. Roberts, special counsel for the commission, and Arthur Dean, representing the Chase National Bank interests, and Wilton J. Lambert, counsel for the gas company. The commission has been at work drafting and redrafting its order for the past several days since receipt of a recommendation from Corporation Counsel William W. Bride.

Hawaiians "Turn Over" For Sunny Christmas

Honolulu, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Hawaii residents read without envy news dispatches today saying there would be a white Christmas in some parts of the United States, then turned over in the sand to sun the other side awhile.

The temperature Christmas Day will be about 72, and probably without rain, said the weather man, basing his belief on previous records. Many families plan to spend the day at the beaches.

British Cruiser at Miami.

Miami, Fla., Dec. 23 (A.P.).—H. M. S. Danae, British navy cruiser, arrived in port today to remain until January 2.

SPECIAL NOTICES

THE ANNUAL STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING of the National Pecan Groves Company will be held at 510 Bond Building, Washington, D. C., JANUARY 23, 1933, at 1 p. m. LEE OTT, President.

OFFICE OF MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE Company of the District of Columbia, 1301 R street northwest, December 15, 1932. Policyholders are notified that policies expire at noon on the last Monday in December, 26th instant, and that on said day the office will be closed, account of legal holiday. Please renew early and avoid the crowd. Policies must be presented for endorsement of payments except where held in connection with loans in which case they should be brought in later to have duplicate payments entered. L. PIERCE BOTELER, Secretary.

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ROOSEVELT TO TALK WITH NORMAN DAVIS

Plans Maintaining Contact With World Problems; Frankfurter Calls.

Albany, N. Y., Dec. 23 (A.P.).—President-elect Roosevelt's advisers indicated today that he intends to keep in close touch with international problems before he is inaugurated on March 4, despite his refusal to join President Hoover in naming a formal commission to consider war debts, disarmament and the coming world economic conference.

Mr. Roosevelt announced that Norman H. Davis, American delegate to the disarmament conference at Geneva, will visit him at Albany after he returns from his home in Hyde Park, where he will spend Christmas.

Mr. Davis returned Thursday from Europe, where he served as one of the two American members of the organizing committee for the economic conference. Mr. Roosevelt was expected to confer at length with him on international matters.

Possible Cabinet Appointees.

The governor declined to elaborate on his message to President Hoover last night, in which he said it was "a pity not only for this country but for the solution of world problems that any statement or intimation should be given that I consider it undesirable to assent to cooperative action on foreign problems."

If Davis calls upon Mr. Roosevelt Monday he will be the fourth Cabinet possibility to visit the President-elect within a week. Last Monday Mr. Roosevelt saw Owen D. Young and Arthur F. Mullen, of Omaha, mentioned for the Cabinet post of Attorney General. Young has been mentioned in connection with several Cabinet appointments Mr. Roosevelt must make.

Felix Frankfurter, of the Harvard Law School, spent last night at the executive mansion and conferred with Mr. Roosevelt today. Frankfurter, some authorities believe, may be Attorney General in the Roosevelt Cabinet.

Will Consider Commutations.

"What did you and Frankfurter talk about?" Mr. Roosevelt was asked.

"Guess any old subject and you'll probably be right," Mr. Roosevelt replied with a smile.

Mr. Roosevelt said he planned to spend most of tomorrow "cleaning the slate" for Lieutenant Gov. Herbert H. Lehman, who will succeed him as New York's chief executive on January 1. He said he also had 30 or 40 new commutation cases to consider. Today he commuted the sentences of 23 prisoners.

After a party for orphans at the executive mansion tomorrow he will motor to Hyde Park and remain there until Monday noon.

MRS. HOOVER ASSISTS SALVATION ARMY

Underwood & Underwood.

Mrs. Hoover assists the Salvation Army in distributing baskets to the needy, as has been her annual custom since she became First Lady of the Land. Here she is helping Maj. Asher and Mrs. Asher passing out the baskets.

Texas Child Dies At Strange Rites

Father of Crippled Girl and Two Preachers Held for Murder.

Linden, Tex., Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Sherman Clayton, whose 5-year-old crippled daughter, Bernice, died Tuesday night while allegedly undergoing strange rites at the hands of two Apostolic preachers, was arrested late today at his home in a rural community near here on a charge of murder. The child was an infantile paralysis sufferer.

While Sheriff Nat Curtright continued his investigation of the ceremony, which ended in the strangling of the child, Coy Oakley, 25, who termed himself a disciple, and his brother, Paul, 20, who said he was a preacher, were held in jail here awaiting hearings Monday on charges of slaying the girl. In a signed statement which Sheriff Curtright said he obtained from Paul Oakley was the declaration:

"God is a healer through me. I thought God sent me to heal the child, but the devil killed her through me. I thought it was God working through me, but after she was dead, God told me I was deceived; that it was the devil."

HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES OF CITY RISE TO GREATEST CRESCENDO

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up from 4:30 to 5:30 over the National and Columbia Broadcasting Systems.

President-elect Franklin D. Roosevelt yesterday sent the following message to Senator Capper, chairman of the committee arranging the national community Christmas tree celebration:

"Mrs. Roosevelt and I will be delighted to listen in on the National Community Christmas Tree celebration. Merry Christmas to you all."

All over the city a round of Christmas activity will begin this morning and continue through tomorrow.

Approximately 1,500 boys and girls will attend the gay festivities of the annual Christmas party which the Central Union Mission is giving this morning at 9:30 o'clock in the Fox Theater.

Hurleys to Help Santa.

Secretary of War Patrick J. Hurley and Mrs. Hurley will help Santa Claus, who will be Supt. John S. Bennett, distribute bags of toys and clothes to several hundred fortunate children. The United States Marine Band, resplendent in red and blue uniforms, will provide the music and Mrs. Ruth Rodeheaver Thomas, radio singer, will be soloist.

Mrs. Bennett and the Women's Guild of the mission will be in charge of the party and special guests will include the 40 boys and girls of the Children's Emergency Home, which they conduct. There will be about two hours of fun for everybody, with the Fox management providing comic films.

Mrs. Herbert Hoover, who usually attends these Christmas parties, visited the mission yesterday morning, owing to her departure last night for Florida with the President. She helped Mrs. Bennett distribute baskets of food to about 250 mothers, some of whom called with their children.

At Union Station tonight the annual Christmas tree celebration of the Washington Travelers Aid will be held. Inaugurated six years ago this affair is designed to bring a glow of cheer to those stranded in the Capital at Christmas time.

Secretary Hurley will be guest of honor at Union Station Christmas party.

Tree Ready for Lights.

Out in Christmas bedecked Wesley Heights a big tree is ready for the glow of incandescent light tonight. The community celebration there will be signaled at 7 o'clock by the trumpeter of the Washington Cathedral.

Under direction of James P. Shick, residents of Wesley Heights have arranged a real party for children of the community. Under the brilliant tree there will be a present for every kiddie.

Circle 178 of the Daughters of Isabella will deliver 100 baskets of food to the poor today. Deliveries will be made by trucks donated by the Central Armature Co.

The committee which collected the food is composed of Mrs. Frank Wall, Mrs. Robert Bourke, Mrs. Mary Sullivan, Mrs. Catherine Sullivan, Mrs. Margaret Lyman, Mrs. Beatrice Deeds, Mrs. H. H. Bicksler, Mrs. Renz and Mrs. Kerrigan.

Carols will be sung by groups everywhere. Glee clubs of educational institutions will do much of the singing. After the tree-lighting ceremony in Sherman Square they will visit every hospital, jail, many hotels and social service centers, carrying their musical message of good will to men.

Stage Christmas Plays.

This Christmas activity has been arranged by Mrs. Gertrude Lyons, president of the District of Columbia Federation of Music Clubs. Christmas plays will be staged at many churches today, tonight and tomorrow.

Among churches, midnight services will be held at Catholic churches and services will be held tonight in other denominational edifices.

At Immaculate Conception Church, Eighth and N streets northwest, a mass and carol service will be held and broadcast by Station W O L from 11:30 p. m. to 1 a. m.

More than 3,000 stockings will be distributed in a dozen hospitals and other institutions tomorrow through the good offices of the Federation of Churches. Mrs. Elizabeth W. Murray will be in charge of this work, an annual project of the federation.

Volunteers Are Active.

Determined that even the vastly increased demands which the cold weather has brought for regular service among the needy shall not interfere with the effort to spread Christmas cheer among the poor, the Volunteers of America today are completing arrangements for an elaborate Christmas program.

Workers of the organization are concentrating today on filling the more than 400 Christmas baskets which will be distributed tomorrow morning from the Volunteer Relief Mission, 471 Pennsylvania avenue northwest. The baskets will go to families in all sections of the city, Staff Capt. Arthur E Wise, regional commander, announced.

A silken Salvation Army flag, symbolic of all that for which the Salvation Army stands, was presented to Mrs. Herbert Hoover yesterday by Mrs. James Asher, wife of Maj. Asher, commanding the District of Columbia Division of the Salvation Army. The occasion was the annual Christmas party of the Salvation Army held at Temple Corps, 606 E street northwest, at which Mrs. Hoover, for the fourth consecutive year, was guest of honor.

Mrs. Asher, in presenting the flag to Mrs. Hoover, recalled that this was the fourth year in which the First Lady had attended the Salvation Army's party, and declared that her visits had been greatly appreciated by the Army people.

"Your gracious smile and words of cheer have done much to brighten the occasion," Mrs. Asher said, "and have brought joy to those in attendance."

Toledo Police Hunting For 'Pretty Boy' Floyd

Toledo, Ohio, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Charles Arthur ("Pretty Boy") Floyd, 25, notorious bank robber and accused murderer, has been sought in underworld haunts here the last four days, Police Chief Louis Haas disclosed today.

Floyd, who is wanted in several States on murder and bank-robbery charges, was believed seen driving in a small black coupe in the downtown section by a policeman whose name the chief withheld. The officer, Chief Haas said, followed the automobile but was unable to overtake it because of a traffic jam. Floyd was armed with a machine gun, the policeman told his chief.

Irish Withdraw Rates Aiding British Imports

Dublin, Irish Free State, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—A new tariff order issued tonight withdraws, in effect, the preference hitherto given to British boots and shoes, men's clothing and certain iron and steel articles.

The duty on motor cars was revised so as to give such imports from the United Kingdom a nominal preferential rate, as compared with the previous rate which allowed British automobile manufacturers an advantage in customs duties in the Irish Free State.

THREE SEEN LEADING IN SPEAKERSHIP RACE

Rainey, Byrns and McDuffie Judged to Have Edge; Climax Next Month.

(Associated Press.)

The race for the Speakership of the House in the Seventy-third Congress appears to be moving toward a climax about the middle of January.

Already indications are that the quietly conducted contest is centering upon three of five Democratic candidates, but all are expectant of success.

State delegations are being canvassed by friends of the candidates. Although favorable reports are being received by each, a majority of the members are hesitating to make any definite commitment pending developments expected next month.

Usually in such races a perceptible swing toward one candidate develops several weeks before the Democratic caucus which selects a nominee. It is generally accepted that Representative Arnold, of Illinois, chairman of the party caucus, will assemble the membership of the new House about March 1 to make the selection.

3 Candidates in Lead.

The three members who apparently are in the lead and running an equally strong race are Representatives Rainey, of Illinois, Democratic floor leader; Byrns, of Tennessee, chairman of the appropriations committee, and McDuffie, of Alabama, Democratic whip.

Representatives Rankin, of Mississippi, chairman of the veterans committee, and Crosser, of Ohio, who has the support of his State delegation, are the other announced candidate. There is some talk about "dark horses," but unless a deadlock occurs among those already in the field, there is considerable doubt whether any other members will be entered.

Each of the candidates hopes to be the successor to John N. Garner, who leaves the House on March 4 to become Vice President and presiding officer of the Senate. Garner was Democratic floor leader before he ascended to the Speakership in the present Congress. He has said he intends to remain aloof from the Speakership race, since he will not be a member of the new House.

Active Campaigns.

All of the candidates are actively campaigning. In addition to contacting the members of the present House who were elected to the next Congress they are communicating with nearly 100 Democratic members-elect who will be here to vote in the party caucus.

The announcement by Representative Bankhead, of Alabama, that he would not run for Speaker, but would support his colleague, McDuffie, cleared the way for the Democratic whip in his delegation.

Meanwhile Democratic members of the Tennessee delegation have thrown their support behind Byrns. Illinois and other Middle Western State members appear to be backing Rainey.

Representative Snell, of New York, the Republican leader, is unopposed for the Speakership nomination of his party, but in view of the big Democratic majority in the next House, there is no possibility of his election. In the next House there will be 313 Democrats, 117 Republicans, and 5 Farmer-Laborites.

Mrs. Hall Is Sorry She Jailed Spouse

Actor's Wife Asserts She Regrets Filing Charge of Nonsupport.

New Orleans, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—James Hall, motion picture actor, paced a cell here tonight as a New Haven, Conn., officer sought to return him to that city, to face charges of nonsupport of his wife, with whom he was reconciled recently.

His wife, Mrs. Irene Gardner Hall, said: "I am the cause of this and I would give a million dollars, if I had it, to untangle this affair." She filed the charges several months ago.

Mrs. Hall joined her husband in Baton Rouge several days ago, after a separation of a number of years. He said she did not want to press charges and told officers she had wired authorities in Connecticut to have the charges dropped.

Kreisler Operetta Pleases Viennese

Romantic Music Written Around Early Years of Franz Joseph.

Vienna, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Fritz Kreisler's operetta, "Sissy," was given its world premiere at the Theatre an der Wien tonight. It was well received by a capacity audience, among whom were many notables.

Politically, Vienna is 60 per cent Socialist, but tonight's audience, regardless of political affiliations, was practically 100 per cent Monarchist for the duration of the performance.

The witchery of the Kreisler music, which was idyllic and lightly sentimental, spun a golden halo around the youth of Emperor Franz Joseph, whom the operetta showed as falling in love with Elizabeth of Bavaria, within arm's reach of the historic desk on which he signed, a lifetime later, the declaration of war against Serbia.

REGROUPING PLANS WILL BE APPEALED

House Expenditures Body to Be Asked for Action on Federal Lineup.

The House expenditures committee will be asked next week to take action aimed at objectionable regrouping features of the President's departmental reorganization plan. Chairman John J. Cochran indicated yesterday following a meeting of the committee.

Representative Cochran said he would draft the resolution after the holidays. It probably will seek blanket disapproval of the President's proposals.

"Every one seemed to be against Mr. Hoover's plan," Cochran said, following yesterday's session.

During the meeting Representative Eaton (Republican), Colorado, pointed to the wide differences in the functions of the Forest Service with the General Land Offices, and said he would oppose this grouping.

Representative Almon (Democrat), Alabama, again protested transfer of rivers and harbors work from the War Department to the Interior Department.

Representative Schafer (Republican), Wisconsin, said Government personnel in all of the departments ought to be reduced at once.

Dr. Dice R. Anderson To Wed Martha Hardy

Belton, Tex., Dec. 23 (A.P.).—The engagement of Miss Martha Hardy to Dr. Dice R. Anderson, president of Wesleyan College at Macon, Ga., has been announced here, the wedding to take place at noon tomorrow.

Miss Hardy is the daughter of Dr. John Crumpton Hardy, president of the Baylor College for Women. Dr. E. G. Townsend, dean of the college, will read the marriage ceremony. Dr. Anderson has been president of Wesleyan since 1931. Previously he had been president of Randolph-Macon College at Lynchburg, Va., where Miss Hardy has been a professor for the last three years.

Executive Wins Libel Case Against Author

Montreal, Quebec, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Thomas B. Macaulay, president of the Sun Life Assurance Co. of Canada, today won a jury verdict in the case charging defamatory libel against James J. Harpell. The trial, which occupied five days, arose out of articles attacking Mr. Macauley and the Sun Life published in Harpell's Magazine and passages in a book.

Sentence was reserved by Chief Justice R. A. Greenshields until Tuesday, with the consent of the crown to permit Mr Harpell to retain his liberty on bail over Christmas. Calixto Cormier, defense counsel, announced he intended to appeal.

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German President Santa to Household

Berlin, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—So the servants and the presidential staff could have Christmas Day off, the venerable President von Hindenburg today started yuletide festivities early. The chancellory, where the president is residing while the presidential mansion down the street is undergoing repair, was the scene of a homely celebration marked by a luncheon at a long extension table covered with bright-colored tablecloths, and the bestowal of gifts selected by Frau Col. Margarethe von Hindenburg, wife of the president's son.

After the doors to the drawing room, decorated with garlands and a lighted Christmas tree, were opened, the guests, consisting of everybody attached to the household from the chauffeur to the president's dignified secretary, Dr. Otto Meissner, received their gifts.

Hungary Cuts Deficit During Last 5 Months

Budapest, Hungary, Dec. 23 (A.P.). The fourth quarterly report of Edward Royall Tyler, appointed by the League of Nations to be Hungary's financial adviser, showed a deficit for the first five months of the fiscal year, beginning July 1, slightly less than that of a like period last year.

The report, given out this evening, set forth also that the losses of state-owned enterprises continued at about the same rate, and that foreign trade dwindled further. Hungary's exports for the third quarter of 1932 amounted to 57 per cent of those of the same quarter last year and 28 per cent of the 1929 figure.

George Nathan's Mother Dies.

Philadelphia, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Mrs. Ella Nirdlinger Nathan, mother of George Jean Nathan, author, dramatic critic and magazine editor, died today at her hotel suite after an illness of several months. She was 70.

Roosevelt's Close Escape Twice From Death Told

His Mother Writes of Near Fatality to Both at Birth and Later When He Almost Swallowed a Piece of Broken Glass.

New York, Dec. 23.—Mrs. Sara Delano Roosevelt, writing in the January issue of Good Housekeeping, says her son, the President-elect, almost died at birth and again when he was 2½ years old.

In the first installment of a biography of her son, Mrs. Roosevelt writes that she was given too much chloroform when Franklin was born and "it was nearly fatal to us both." She writes that the nurse told her she "never expected to see the baby alive and was surprised to find that he was."

When he was 2¼ years old, Franklin bit a large chunk out of a drinking glass, Mrs. Roosevelt says, and only her quickness kept him from swallowing it. When he returned to the table he pretended to bite out another piece of glass.

"Franklin," said his mother, "where is your obedience?"

"My 'bedience has gone upstairs for a walk," was the reply.

She writes that her son took a cycling tour of the Black Forest in Germany with his tutor and talked his way to freedom four times when police arrested him for breaking rules.

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ALTHOFF—On Friday, December 23, 1932, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. H. B. Nevius, 924 New York avenue northwest, AMELIA ALTHOFF, aged seventy-three years. Funeral from above address Monday, December 26, at 8:30 a. m.; thence to St. Gabriel's Church, Grant Circle and New Hampshire avenue, where mass will be said at 9 a. m. for the repose of her soul. Interment in Washington Memorial Park Cemetery.

BARNARD—Suddenly, on Thursday, December 22, 1932, JAMES S. BARNARD, beloved brother of Mrs. J. T. Kent, of Los Angeles, Calif. Funeral from the W. W. Chambers Co. funeral home, 1400 Chapin street northwest, on Tuesday, December 27, at 9:30 a. m. Interment at Arlington National Cemetery.

BASIM—On Thursday, December 22, 1932, BLENN SWIFT, beloved wife of John W. Basim. Funeral services at the Fourth Presbyterian Church, Fifteenth and Fairmont streets northwest, on Saturday, December 24, at 2 p. m. Interment at Cedar Hill Cemetery.

CHRISTIANA—On Wednesday, December 21, 1932, at 910 Twelfth street northwest, JOSEPHINE COLONNA, beloved wife of Gaetano Christiana. Funeral from the W. W. Chambers Co. funeral home, 1400 Chapin street northwest, on Saturday, December 24, at 8:30 a. m., thence to St. Patrick's Church, where mass will be offered at 9 a. m. for the repose of her soul. Interment at Mount Olivet Cemetery.

CHRISSINGER—On Friday, December 23, 1932, at her residence, 1832 K street northwest, BESSIE GILDEA, the beloved wife of the late Frank Chrissinger, and mother of Bryce G. Payne. Funeral from the W. W. Chambers Co. funeral home, 1400 Chapin street northwest, on Monday, December 26, at 2 p. m. Interment Congressional Cemetery.

DUNAN—On Thursday, December 22, 1932, at 9:30 p. m., at her residence, 610 C street northeast, ROSE E., loving wife of the late Louis A. Dunan and mother of Mrs. Elsie Foreman and Harry A. Dunan, in the seventy-fourth years of her age. Funeral from the Nevius funeral home, 924 New York avenue nohthwest, on Saturday, December 24, at 2 p. m. Interment at Congressional Cemetery. Relatives and friends invited.

DUNBAR—On Thursday, December 23, 1932, at Garfield Hospital, NATHAN L., beloved husband of Harriet L. Dunbar, and father of Charles E. Dunbar. Funeral from the late residence, 1404 Twelfth street northwest, on Monday, December 26, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited. Interment at Cedar Hill Cemetery.

FISHER—On Thursday, December 22, 1932, at his residence, 53 Rhode Island avenue northwest, EDWARD Y., beloved husband of Mary J. Fisher and father of Ralph E. Fisher and Mrs. W. G. Scott, of California. Funeral from John R. Wright funeral home, 1337 Tenth street northwest, on Saturday, December 24, at 2 p. m. Interment Fort Lincoln Cemetery.

FRAZIER—Suddenly, on Thursday, December 22, 1932, at his residence, 1329 Maple View place southeast, SAMUEL M., husband of Fannie E. Frazier (nee Dalton). Funeral from the chapel of Thomas E. Murray & Son, 2007 Nichols avenue southeast, on Saturday, December 24, at 1:30 p. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Interment at Cedar Hill Cemetery.

GRAY—On Friday, December 23, 1932, at her home, 434 First street, Clarendon, Va., MARY FRANCES, beloved wife of Thomas R. Gray. Funeral services at her late residence on Tuesday, December 27, at 2 p. m. Interment Arlington National Cemetery.

KIRBY—On Friday, December 23, 1932, at his residence, 2012 Fourth street northeast, JOSEPH STEPHENSON, the beloved husband of Nannie Catherine Kirby and father of Alfred J. Kirby. Funeral from the above residence on Monday, December 26, at 10 a. m. Interment Orleans, Va. Services by the W. W. Chambers Co.

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KLAWONN—On Friday, December 23, 1932, at his home, 3612 Fenwick street, Brentwood, Md., WALTER JULIUS, the beloved husband of Myrtle B. Klawonn, in his fifty-third year. Remains resting at the Colonial funeral home of William Reuben Pumphrey, Rockville, Md. Notice of funeral later.

LEAP—Suddenly, on Wednesday, December 21, 1932, at her residence, 417 New Jersey avenue southeast, LEON STELLA, widow of Theodore L. Leap and mother of Edwin D., James W., Theodore L. and Josephine I. Leap. Funeral from the W. W. Chambers Co. funeral home, 1400 Chapin street northwest, on Saturday, December 24, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited. Interment Congressional Cemetery.

McDONNELL—On Wednesday, December 21, 1932, at his residence, 2415 Pennsylvania avenue northwest, JAMES A., beloved husband of Lucy G. McDonnell (nee Evans). Funeral from above residence on Saturday, December 24, at 8:30 a. m., thence to St. Stephen's Church, Twenty-fifth street and Pennsylvania avenue northwest, at 9 a. m., where high requiem mass will be offered for the repose of his soul. Relatives and friends are invited. Interment at Mount Olivet Cemetery. Services by W. W. Chambers Co.

McNAMARA—On Friday, December 23, 1932, NORA, beloved wife of the late Martin McNamara. Remains resting at the funeral parlors of Timothy Hanlon, 641 H street northeast. Notice of funeral hereafter.

NOLAN—On Thursday, December 22, 1932, at Providence Hospital, ROBERT EDWARD, beloved husband of the late Minnie J. Nolan. He is survived by eight children. Funeral from his late residence, 328 F street northeast, on Saturday, December 24, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited. Interment at Bethel, Alexandria, Va. Services by W. W. Chambers Co.

PEITZ—On Thursday, December 22, 1932, KATHERINE M., beloved wife of the late Henry Peitz and mother of Henry Peitz, of Virginia Beach, Va., and Carl Peitz, of North Bergen, N. J. Funeral services at the S. H. Hines Co. funeral home, 2901 Fourteenth street northwest, on Saturday, December 24, at 1 p. m. Interment at Cedar Hill Cemetery.

PLATT—On Friday, December 23, 1932, LOUIS ELMER, beloved husband of Grace F. Platt and father of Margaret, William, Louis, Grace and George Platt. Funeral from his late residence, 922 New York avenue northwest, on Tuesday, December 27, at 8:30 a. m. Requiem mass at St. Patrick's Church, Tenth and G streets northwest at 9 a. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Interment Mount Olivet Cemetery.

STACEY—On Thursday, December 22, 1932, at Sibley Hospital, DELOUIS ANN, beloved daughter of Margaret Stacey and the late Milton Stacey, and granddaughter of Frank J. and Frances Stowell. Funeral from her mother's residence, 538 Seventh street southeast, on Saturday, December 24, at 2 p. m. Interment at Cedar Hill Cemetery. Services by W. W. Chambers Co.

STEPHENS—Suddenly, on Thursday, December 22, 1932, CHARLES C., the beloved husband of Mildred Stephens, in his twenty-sixth year. Remains resting at the Colonial funeral home of William Reuben Pumphrey, Rockville, Md. Funeral from the home of his father-in-law, Mr. Groves, Charles Town, W. Va., Sunday, December 25, at 2 p. m. Interment Charles Town, W. Va.

STONE—On Friday, December 23, 1932, ANDREW J. (DICK), beloved son of John F. and Blanche E. Stone, aged twenty years. Funeral from his late residence, 248 Fourteenth street northeast, on Monday, December 26, at 11 a. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Interment at Cedar Hill Cemetery.

TASSA—On Thursday, December 22, 1932, at Garfield Hospital, BERNICE M., beloved wife of Thomas Tassa and mother of Bernice and Catherine Tassa. Funeral from her late residence, 1345 Meridian place northwest, on Monday, December 26, at 8:30 a. m., thence to Sacred Heart Church, where mass will be offered at 9 a. m. for the repose of her soul. Relatives and friends invited. Interment at Mount Olivet Cemetery. Services by W. W. Chambers Co.

WEIGHTMAN—On Friday, December 23, 1932, at her residence, the Berkshire Apartments, 1412 Chapin street northwest, LOUISA S. WEIGHTMAN. Body resting at the chapel of Joseph Gawler Sons, 1754 Pennsylvania avenue northwest. Services at the Vermont Avenue Christian Church, between N and O streets northwest, on Tuesday, December 27, at 10:30 a. m. Interment Congressional Cemetery.

WILLIAMS—On Friday, December 23, 1932, FREDERICK A., beloved husband of Annie A. Williams (nee Hasler), and father of Fred A. and Claude H. Williams and Mrs. Earl A. Stoup. Funeral from the W. W. Chambers Co. funeral home, 1400 Chapin street northwest, on Saturday, December 24, at 3:30 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited. Interment at Prospect Hill Cemetery.

CONGRESS TO HAVE SHORTEST RECESS

Both Houses Will Be Back at Work Tuesday to Complete Program.

(United Press.)

Congress quit work eagerly yesterday for the shortest Christmas recess in history with threats from the House leadership that strong-arm methods would be used there if members try to prolong it.

Both bodies are scheduled to resume work Tuesday.

The Senate is expected to ignore the call to work, going through the formality of recessing for three days at a time until after New Year's, which can be done.

But House Democratic Leader Rainey said he would resort to warrants for arrest to get members on the job. This has not been done in more than 20 years. The late Speaker "Uncle Joe" Cannon, czar of the House, employed such tactics. How successful this will be, remains to be seen.

The House adjourned yesterday after a few minutes, wholly occupied by a controversy caused by deletion of a roll call Friday in the official record. The House leadership cut out the roll call, as it revealed how many members had left the city. This was defended yesterday as legal, since proceedings are "vacated" when a quorum is not present. The House will address itself to a resumption of this controversy Tuesday—if enough members are present to do business.

The only business scheduled by the Senate, which adjourned yesterday after two hours laregly devoted to discussion of beer, is a speech on silver by Senator Key Pittman (Democrat), Nevada. He may find himself speaking to empty seats.

Only 75 Enjoying $1,000,000 Incomes

513 Persons Paid Taxes on That Amount in 1929, Data Shows.

(Associated Press.)

The $6,500,000,000 that 1931 took out of the income of Americans reduced to 75 the number of persons whose annual inflow of money passed the million dollar mark. The peak of prosperity in 1929 saw 513 persons whose incomes ran to the seven-figure mark and beyond.

In the lower-income class, 260,235 persons who had filed returns in 1930 found that their incomes had declined below the point requiring them to report. More than half of those filing reports showed incomes too low to be taxable. The number paying tax was 1,455,007.

Individual taxpayers reported net incomes of $13,231,352,042, a drop of almost $4,000,000,000 below the preceding year. Corporation net incomes were $3,110,642,568, a decrease of $2,500,000,000.

Slaying Suspect Is Held for Jury

Man Taken in Harrisburg Is Heard in Death of Restaurant Man.

Nick Alexopoulos was held for grand jury action after a hearing yesterday before United States Commissioner Needham C. Turnage on a charge of murder in connection with the slaying of Christos Haralampidis, Greek restaurant operator, here in 1930. Alexopoulos was arrested several days ago in Harrisburg, Pa.

Haralampidis was found with his skull crushed and body stabbed in his restaurant home in the 500 block of Ninth street northwest. Testimony given at the hearing before the commissioner purported to show that Alexopoulos, alais Nick Alex, was in the group which had been playing cards at the man's home on the night of the murder.

Haralampidis' pockets had been turned out and the room ransacked. Bloodstained clothes later were found in Alexopoluos' room, which, when analyzed, proved to be human blood, police said.

Grammer to Ask Year's Delay on All Contracts

(Associated Press.)

In his first speech to the Senate, Senator Grammer (Republican), of Washington, announced yesterday he would propose a one-year moratorium on all contracts of every kind and nature.

Grammer is serving out the term of the late Senator Jones. He read his brief statement complaining of existing conditions. He said he would introduce his moratorium bill after the Christmas recess. Grammer goes out of office March 4.

Baltimore Police Get Radio Station Permit

(Associated Press.)

The Federal Radio Commission yesterday granted the application of the Baltimore police department to operate a radio station for police service.

The department was authorized to operate the station on a frequency of 2,414 kilocycles, with a power of 500 watts.

Round Trip Rate Asked For Corpse to Save Cash

Columbus, Ga., Dec. 23 (U.P.).—An old Negro man came into the freight office and asked the round trip rate to Chicago for a corpse.

The freight agent, after a few questions, found that the old man was not crazy, but was looking for a way to beat the depression.

It developed that relatives of the deceased in Chicago had decided it would be cheaper to send the body to Chicago, where they could take a last look, and return it to Columbus for burial, than for all of them to come to Columbus.

The Federal Diary

By GEORGE D. RILEY

Riley.

IN the adjacent column is a picture of "the house that Jack built." Jack C. White, secretary to Deputy Second Assistant Chase C. Gove, Postoffice Department, has just completed, with the help of his father, John H. White, of Deposit, N. Y., his home on his 1 1-3 acres on the Riggs road, Prince Georges County, Md., 6 miles from the District of Columbia line.

Most of the material used in construction of the five-room structure was obtained from the immediate property, the logs and stones. Cost of the home is in the neighborhood of $1,000.

Resting on a concrete foundation, the house is rustic outside and inside and has log beams in the ceilings. Plywood is used to finish the interior.

"I wanted to move out from town and be near my friends in that section; so I bought the tract and decided to build," said Mr. White.

A stream, Paint Branch, with its rocky bed and banks, races along near the home and completes the rustic setting "somewhere in the woods."

Few have heard how Swarmi Fedd acquired that look of mixed astonishment and disappointment which he assumes now and then, so like the story of how Ireland got its name. Here 'tis:

Some years ago, to turn the sheets on the calendar, Swarmi Fedd sailed from Baltimore for a short trip to Paris. That was before Congress got its first cutting-everything-and-everybody-in-sight fit. Swarmi carried a note of introduction to a young lady in the French hub (where they decided to renege their debts). The note was in French, of course. But Swarmi Fedd had not then acquired his present fluency in the diplomatic language.

Swarmi debarked in due process and—

Remember old-time movie thrillers used to say:

"Watch this space tomorrow for another episode in this breath-taking drama."

Agriculture Department retirements: Isaiah H. Bailey, senior lay inspector, Animal Industry, 28 years 1 month; John T. Callahan, junior supervisor of grain inspection, Agriculture Economics, 14 years 1 month; Mrs. Laura B. Jackson, junior laborer, Forest Service, 11 years 11 months; Miss Charlotte Moakler, assistant clerk, Agricultural Economics, 37 years 11 months.

"YOU take this one and I'll take that one and now you owe me 27 cents."

Overhearing this was enough to arouse Swarmi Fedd's interest. He knew John Ruel Manning, Bureau of Fisheries, was speaking. Mr. Manning was dividing nice fish he received as a Christmas gift. It was very nice fish, red snapper steak and throats, frozen to keep palatable. In fact, it was fish as is fish.

As we have said, a friend sent the fish all the way from Florida. But the friend with his generous hands had failed to pay transportation charges. The express company assessed John "$1.08, collect."

John has friends at this end of the line, too. So he let them in on the deal. If they would ante their share of the charges, he would give them some of the snapper, then he would make back his collect charges.

Now the question is, When is a Christmas gift not a Christmas gift?

A VISITOR, imbued with "Christmas spirits" zoomed toward the flashing red and green aero beacons in the lobby where the Airways exhibit is located and requested "Information" to advise him on the location of the prescription department. No kidding.

The following officers have been chosen for 1933 to lead Postoffice Department Lodge, No. 27, A. F. G. E.: Thomas O. Fee, president; Paul Hines, vice president; Frances Gorely, secretary; William N. Locknane, treasurer, and Edward J. Mahoney, guardian. S. K. Miller, acting president, wielded the gavel. Helen C. McCarty, chairman, national organization committee, and John N. Newman, National Federation secretary, spoke at the recent meeting.

Bill Myer, alias Santa Claus, Foreign and Domestic Commerce, has been rehearsing his part several weeks, we understand, for an informal bridge party Monday evening.

Out Friday at 4:30 p. m. Abyssinia Tuesday at 9 a. m.

Now we know who is the "Big Fish." Christmas greeting so addressed was delivered to Fred G. Orsinger, aquarium director. There's one for John Hix.

Turkey, for some Sunday.
Turkey soup, for some Monday.
And turkey hash, for some, the rest of the week.

Let's get these places on the map. Akron, Ohio, Mary Jones, Commerce chief clerk's office, for the holidays. East Milton, Mass., Mary Donohue, Dr. Julius Klein's office, visits the folks. York Springs, Pa., Lula Gardner, Current Information, Commerce, at home to her friends.

We note Thermometry Section, Standards, tested 376 laboratory and 17,451 clinical thermometers during November under direction of Miss Johanna Busse, only woman section chief of the bureau.

May we wish a Merry Christmas to the following:

W. H. Egberts, National Museum; Helaine Smith, Justice Department; Arthur E. Knowles, Internal Revenue; Franklin Wisner, Radio Commission; Ellis A. Yost, Radio Commission examiner; Henry O'Malley, Fisheries Commissioner; Col. Clarence M. Young, Asaistant Secretary Aeronautics; Mrs. Verna Willis, Agriculture; John Arthur Shaw, president A. F. G. E.; E. B. Hull, Steamboat Innspection; Hoy Barnett, Commerce; Paul J. Groghan, press, Commerce.

L. W. Cain, Foreign and Domestic Commerce; Mrs. Helen Will, I. C. C.; Rene H. Reinach, I. C. C.; Fred G. Orsinger, Aquarium; W. M. Hiley, Panama Canal; Dr. William Mann, Zoological; Albert K. Brown, Fisheries; R. E. Freer, I. C. C.; Lieut. George S. Douglas, I. C. C.; Arthur J. Tyrer, Steamboat Inspection; Miss Anne Wilson, Agriculture; C. M. Mears, Panama Canal; Miss Ann Smith, Commerce; H. G. Nichols, Airways; Jimmie Horne, Home Loan Bank; Frederic A. Newman, Postoffice; Dr. Leon Truesdale, Census; Joe Woodcock, Customs Bureau; Fireman J. F. White; Miss Louise Hill, Navy Department; Lala Cornish, Income Tax; C. Judkins, Commerce; Charles Hall Johnson, I. C. C.; Charles R. Lewis, Deputy Customs Collector; Ward Bower, Alaskan Fisheries Division; Harry E. Roethe, Chemistry and Soils, Agriculture; Ralph D. Cleverley, War Department; J. Leonard Acuff, Prohibition; Miss Frances Skelly, Prohibition; Tillman Grimes, Prohibition; Thomas C. Phillips; Anna Murray, Internal Revenue; A. B. Gibson, Washington Monument; Henrietta Marsh, Commerce.

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Detective Sergt. Mike Dowd, Judge V. Simonton, Prohibition; Wharton Moore, Commerce; Dr. L. J. Briggs, director, Standards; Dorothy Jackson, State Department; Charles D. Dye, State Department; Louise LeCombe, Federal Farm Board; Miss T. G. Packard, Agriculture; Howard T. Jones, Prohibition; Randolph Shaw, Prohibition; George Walker, Customs Bureau; Madeline Wert, Veterans' Administration; "Ping" Purdy, Navy Department; Miss Pansy Willson, Navy Department; Paul Hagermann, House Office Building; Dr. Lewis Radcliffe, Fisheries; Miss Charlotte Carmody, Commerce; John F. Deeds, Geological Survey; Miss Katherine Horen, General Land Office.

Samuel Gompers, Labor; Capt. C. D. Bartelmes, No. 9 Engine Company; Mrs. Lena Miller, Commerce; Miss Louise S. Stephens, Prohibition; Miss Mazie Bile, Prohibition; Miss Marion Clare, Commerce; Capt. R. S. Patton, Geodetic Survey; Alex H. Oxholm, Wood Utilization; Eva Yeatman, Printing and Engraving; Wesley Huntress, Airways; Commander Harold E. Saunders, Navy Yard; R. H. Fiedler, Fisheries; Rosemary Loughlin, Agriculture; Miss Mary Lindsay, Treasury; Mrs. Mollie Burgess, Radio Commission; Edith Paula Swiger, Radio Commission; Emily Watts, Veterans' Administration; Dr. S. F. Hildebrand, Fisheries; Isaac Greeg, Postoffice Department; Jules Fehr, Wood Utilization; Miss Laura G. Shepherd, Commerce; John P. Moore, Prohibition; LeRoy Scheaff, Radio Commission; Inspector General D. N. Hoover, Steamboat Inspection; W. T. Miller, Airways; William R. Fuchs, Agriculture; William M. Lytle, Navigation.

Jim Griffin, Geodetic; Dr. Alexander Wetmore, Smithsonian; Albert Gamse, Commerce; W. G. Edwards, Agriculture; E. H. Brown, Search Room; Charles E. Eliff, Plant Quarantine; Betty Jean Talbott, Radio Commission; R. H. Peterson, Navy Yard; P. C. Golding, Internal Revenue; H. T. Tate, Prohibition; Evelyn Brooks, Bureau of Prisons; Frances Rollins, Radio Commission; Karl Greene, Alien Property; George McNamara, guard, Library of Congress; Lillian Paulson, National Park Service; Robert Beers, Prohibition; Miss Marie Russert, Prohibition.

Battalion Chief Edward R. Pierce; Elinor Whitfield, District Building; S. C. Sturgis, Commerce; Wallace Burton, Government Printing Office; Associate Chief W. C. Henderson, Biological Survey; Marie Leffingwell, Commerce; Miss Mabel Cuddy, Lighthouses; W. P. True, editor, Smithsonian; B. W. Scribner, Standards; R. C. Bowker, Standards; E. E. Glover, Prohibition; J. Wise Byrnes, superintendent, Agriculture Greenhouses; H. I. Rothrock, Airways.

Edward R. Ryan, Airways; Agnes Golden, Internal Revenue; Fred Lyons, Internal Revenue, and all the scores of others we have met and heard from in the less than one month The Federal Diary has been chronicling doings Federally.

"Where did I put that number?" asked Miss Naomi Opack, Veterans' Administration.

Austin H. Clark, Smithsonian, recently gave a radio talk on "When Scientists Get Together."

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY: Found or Lost—An appendix. R Lyle Webster, of press service, Department of Agriculture. Doing nicely, thank you, thanks to the doctor and efficient nurses at Emergency Hospital. Have you heard the story of my operation?

And why couldn't Home Economics, Department of Agriculture, offer an exhibit of fancy stitches for operations? Mr. Webster was to have had his done in hemstitching, while we heard another say smocking was preferred.

Pan-American Union Building all dolled up for the occasion.

Mike Meehan, sr., oversees the 2,000 indicators of business conditions for Current Business Survey. He is said to have contracted with Mr. S. Claus to deliver 2,000 gifts to Mike, jr.

They do say Blanche Mundell, information desk, Commerce, answers queries totaling around 250 daily. It is not uncommon for a stranger to ask her how to get to Agriculture, Interior, Treasury and others.

Doesn't Nellie Cosden, of the Patent Office, look stunning in that black lace dress? Some folks just seem to glorify whatever they wear.

David H. Diebler, LL. B., radio commission, has a brand new secretary. Not bad on the eyes, either. As they say, Swarmi sees all knows all. "Are there any more at home like you? Remember Florodora?"

IN a city not so many miles from Washington on Christmas night a few years ago a tall, slender man, a bit stooped, walked into a hotel private dining room, where places for seven had been arranged. Paul J. Evander was the only guest. He took his place at the head of the table and the waiter began serving.

It was a silent meal. Evander finished the first course. Others followed and the meal was completed. Food was set at each place in succession and removed in time.

In 1897 Evander, his wife and five children kept a small store on the outskirts of Seattle. They had saved perhaps $500. News came from the Klondike of the gold strike. Evander left his family in charge of the little business and started to Alaska to prospect.

Months passed. No word from Evander. No word from the family except one time, when a fellow prospector from Seattle brought word of the family. All were well. Evander pressed on and with varying fortune.

One day he struck it rich. Within a few days he had gathered several bags of gold dust, worth more than $100,000. He would return home and they would live in ease the rest of their days.

Within a month of the strike Evander was back in Seattle, then to find his family. They had gone. Mrs Evander had sold the store. No word was to be had of the family's whereabouts.

And still Evander, wherever he may be on Christmas night, has Christmas dinner served—served for seven, but always six places vacant. It is the anniversary of his leaving home to find riches. Evander still hunts for familiar faces, faces that long ago have changed, faces of his own image, but faces that continue to live in his memory ineffaceable.

"The McKinley High School," says Mary G. Worthley, mathematics teacher, "is doing a wonderful piece of relief work this year. The school has its own relief organization to help those in the school who are in need, and there are a great many. The work is being done largely by the students. The officers of all the school clubs and organizations have banded together and are going ahead with great enthusiasm to make Christmas for those who won't have any this year. In every section room there is a big basket, and into this the pupils put the canned goods, toys, books and clothing they have brought from home.

"The stage crew takes decrepit toys and makes them look like new again; the home economics department dresses dolls. Every one wants to help. The teachers are doing their share, too. Instead of sending Christmas greeting cards to each other, as is their custom, they are going to turn in the money this year to the relief fund. The teachers are giving an entertainment in the assembly, also, on Thursday and Friday mornings of this week to make money for the fund. Many a teacher has a child help her with her papers and clerical work to earn money for lunch. For a good many children go without lunch these days."

Swarmi Fedd's piercing optics see a gay gathering. A large group of ladies at a table. Now it is coming through lucidly. It is Peter Borras' Madrillon Cafe. There are several dozen ladies—62 in fact—and they are having a grand time. Eating Peter Borras' luscious viands and talking away at a great rate.

Over the hubbub Swarmi learns it is the annual Christmas luncheon of the Insolvent National Bank Division, office of Comptroller of the Currency. Such a prosaic name, but the ladies are having anything but a prosaic time.

Some of the ladies Swarmi Fedd is able, through his mystic knowledge, to identify. There are Mrs. Phoebe Haight, Mrs. Flora A. Myers, Mrs. Helen M. Kittler, Miss Florence Lewis, Miss Maurine Lane, Mrs. Emma Demarest (Swarmi is not quite sure of the spelling of the last, it isn't quite clear), Miss Edna Kennett and Mrs. Esther Burton (of bowling fame).

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A. T. Lewis, Frank C. Swayzee, B. L. Jacobs and Mrs. E. F. Mellville, retired during the year from the finance department, United States Army, were special guests yesterday afternoon at the War Building, when Gen. Frederick W. Coleman, chief of finance, master of ceremonies, and F. G. Gardiner (Santa Claus) handed out the gifts. Exchange of presents was limited to 10-cent articles. Gen. Coleman is shown here presenting a big box to Mrs. Barbara C. Miller.

JAPANESE BUDGET BIGGEST IN HISTORY

Diet Opens at Tokyo Facing Manchurian War Costs and Relief Issues.

Tokyo, Saturday, Dec. 24 (A.P.).—The sixty-fourth session of the Diet, Japan's imperial parliament, opened today, its principal task being to vote the largest budget in the history of the nation.

Swollen by the needs of the army for another year of its campaigns in Manchuria, by the demands of both the army and navy for new arms and greater supplies of ammunition, and by a large program of relief for the distressed peasant classes, this budget, already approved by the cabinet of Admiral Viscount Makoto Saito, totals 2,239,000,000 yen (currently more than $470,190,000), nearly 300,000,000 yen greater than any previous budget in the history of the empire.

Today's opening was a mere formality, devoted largely to organization of the two chambers, the house of Representatives and the House of Peers.

Tomorrow will be a holiday, not because it is Christmas or Sunday, but because it is the anniversary of the death of the late Emperor Taisho, father of the reigning sovereign, who died Christmas morning, 1926.

On Monday Emperor Hirohito will proceed to the House of Peers and read a decree formally opening the parliament, which, after adopting a respectful reply to the throne, will adjourn for the new year holidays.

The real session will open January 20.

FINAL DAY FINDS TOY FUND CLOSE TO GOAL

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write "$1,000" opposite the words, Post Toy and Doll Fund?

He was a tall, distinguished-looking American business man who probably was a member of many financial conferences, but he took the morning off yesterday to deliver by hand doll's beds and dolls and a number of children's chairs, games and books to The Washington Post Toy Fund. Although the elevator man at The Post Building offered to relieve him of his burden, this man, who did not want his name listed, preferred to carry the bed with the real doll baby in real baby clothes himself. Up and down the elevator he went until he had delivered many armfuls of toys to make a happy Christmas for the children of Washington.

Good-hearted people only need a hint anyway. It is surprising how many people have taken advantage of the "buy a toy or two" for The Post fund when doing Christmas shopping. These contributions rolled in yesterday singly, doubly and even boxes of toys.

Has Yawning Pack.

But Santa Claus has a very yawning pack this year because so many parents who helped him with their own families last year can not even provide bread for their little ones. The game of supply and demand that goes on in The Post Library, is a real lesson in economics. The Santa Claus Lady deals out the toys where she thinks they are most needed and really are going to homes where Santa Claus would not come without the aid of the kind people who have contributed to The Post Toy and Doll Fund. Just as her supply gets low and she begins to worry up clangs the elevator and out comes some one with a toy or boxes of toys. It just seems that some one guesses that he must hurry or the bugaboo of "no toys or dolls or games or books to meet the demand" will overtake the Santa Claus Lady.

So the Santa Claus Lady and her assistants work all day long and away into the night to receive and distribute the toys, and the big man in the cashier's cage of The Post Building counts the money that comes in bills, nickels, dimes, and even pennies, so that there will be money to pay for every demand.

Nobody is too tired about The Post Building to help the fund. No one has too important a position on the paper to carry armfuls of toys left at their homes by those who sympathize with the fund, or to give the people who are working to keep the appeals and the gifts carefully listed a hand with the work they would probably have to be doing to get out the Capital's Greatest Newspaper.

Masculine Interest Aroused.

"Did you see those dolls? That lady brought us five dolls! That group of happy youngsters has collected 100 toys in their neighborhood!" These are some of the comments bandied about gaily at The Post Building these days.

It is surprising how the men on The Post like to look at the trains and mechanical toys. How eager they are to show just how they work and to fix and fiddle with them until they get them to working.

Old Santa Claus must chuckle to himself as he reads his morning Post far up in the North Pole Land to see how much of a headquarters for his activities in the National Capital The Post has become. Of course, he is probably pleased to learn that everybody on The Post has an abiding faith in him and want to assure the continued existence in that faith in the hearts and minds of every boy and girl in Washington, who certainly must be kept to their belief that Christmas time is a harbinger of good times and happiness to every one.

Short Step Buries Man In Mud 75 Feet Below

Knoxville, Tenn., Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Charles Fox, of Tiffin, Ohio, swung from a Louisville & Nashville passenger train today and expected a short drop to the ground.

But the train was crossing the Tennessee River Bridge and Fox dropped 75 feet, half burying himself in the mud a few feet from the water's edge. At General Hospital he was treated for a wrenched back. He told officers he was en route to Florida.

GEORGE D. FISHER RITES.

Former Federal Employe's Funeral to Be at Clarendon Monday.

Funeral services for George D. Fisher, 74, former employe of the Census Bureau, Internal Revenue Bureau and the city postoffice, who died Thursday at his home in Clarendon, Va., after an illness of three weeks, will be held Monday from the Ives funeral parlors, Clarendon. Burial will be at Baltimore.

Mr. Fisher was employed at the Census Bureau in the early 1890s. He later was transferred to the Postoffice Department and was in charge of the personnel section of the First Assistant's Bureau many years. Still later he was with the Bureau of Internal Revenue. He was retired in 1924 while employed at the city postoffice.

MRS. I. G. MEYERS BURIED.

Was Former Assistant Superintendent of Public Schools.

Funeral services were held yesterday for Mrs. Ida Gilbert Meyers, at one time assistant superintendent of public schools, and book reviewer of The Washington Star, at the funeral parlors of Almus R. Speare.

Burial was in Glenwood Cemetery.

Harry Burlingame Expires Suddenly

Retired Police Sergeant Is Victim of Heart Attack.

Harry Burlingame, retired police sergeant, who for many years was connected with the fingerprint division of the Detective Bureau, died of a heart attack yesterday while shopping in a store near Thurmont, Md., where he lived since his retirement from police work.

The retired policeman was for years associated with Lieut. Fred Sandberg, Washington fingerprint expert, and was later promoted to sergeant and stationed at the Ninth Precinct.

He was a veteran of the Spanish-American War. His wife survives.

MRS. M. B. YOUNG FUNERAL.

Was Daughter of John Barclay, Former Journal Clerk in House.

Funeral services for Mrs. Mary Barclay Young, widow of James Rankin Young and daughter of John McGowan Barclay, journal clerk of the House for many years, were held yesterday. She died Wednesday at her home, 3445 Ordway street northwest. Burial was in Glenwood Cemetery.

Surviving her are four children, John Russell Young, Mrs. Glenn A. Smith, James Barclay Young and Miss Julia Coleman Young.

GEORGE D. FISCHER RITES.

Will Be Conducted in Baltimore on Monday.

Funeral services will be held at Baltimore Monday for George D. Fischer, 74, retired postal employe, who died Thursday night at his home, 20 Cherry Valley avenue, Clarendon, Va.

Formerly in charge of the personnel section of the Postoffice Department of the First Assistant Postmaster General, Mr. Fischer retired in 1924.

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$2.50 real Wedgewood setting $1.95
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$5.00 real stone scarabs $3.95

3—$21.50 ROBES; Silk Lined..... $16.95
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PAY-OFF SET TODAY BY 59 CLOSED BANKS

Comptroller Orders More Than $8,500,000 to Be Distributed.

(Associated Press.)

The Comptroller of the Currency played Santa Claus yesterday, ordering more than $8,500,000 distributed immediately to the depositors of 59 closed national banks.

There was a total of $3,000,000 distributed in November. It brought the total for the year paid to depositors to $106,000,000. The receivers of the institutions will make the payments.

The comptroller, making special efforts to give a merry Christmas to the depositors, borrowed some of the money from the Reconstruction Finance Corporation. This was done by pledging good assets of some of the suspended banks. The money will be repaid when the affairs of the banks are further liquidated.

The money is available for distribution now and should be paid the depositors by tonight. F. G. Awalt, the acting comptroller, said that if any of them did not get it, it would be because the depositor failed to call for his check. But he did not announce the location of the banks, nor the amounts being paid by each of them.

The 59 institutions are among 1,000 suspended national banks now being liquidated by the comptroller's office.

Creation of a "Federal Deposit Insurance Fund" for the liquidation of the assets of closed banks was proposed in a bill introduced yesterday by Senator Vandenberg (Republican), Michigan.

Mr. Vandenberg would appropriate $125,000,000 from the Treasury for the fund, require each Federal Reserve Bank to turn over one-fourth of its surplus and each member bank one-eighth of 1 per cent of its average time deposits for the past year.

In case a bank which was a member of the fund failed, its time depositors would receive 75 per cent of their deposits.

TELEGRAPHIC DISPATCHES

Three Rivers, Mass., Dec. 23 (A.P.).—A funeral home here has received several telephone inquiries in the last few days from anxious youngsters who wanted to check up on the rumor that Santa Claus was dead. Needless to say, the answers left the youngsters happy and hopeful again.

Batesburg, S. C., Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Theft of $17,000 in bonds and cash from a safety deposit box in a bank here was reported to the sheriff's office today by Miss Julia Malpass. The box was located in the branch of the People's State Bank. The bank and its several branches closed several months ago, but the safety boxes were accessible to customers.

Tulsa, Okla., Dec. 23 (A.P.).—The condition of W. G. Skelly, president of the Skelly Oil Co. and Republican national committeeman from Oklahoma, was reported as favorable today at St. John's Hospital, where the oil man underwent an emergency appendicitis operation last night. Attendants said there was every indication he would recover.

Atlanta, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Armed guards went on duty at the termini of all trolley car lines in Atlanta today to protect passengers and operatives from bandits. They are employed by the Georgia Power Co., operator of the street railway system, and have been given the authority of special deputy sheriffs.

Austin, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Gov. R. S. Sterling today called a special election for January 28 in the Eighth Texas Congressional District to fill the vacancy left by the death of Representative Daniel E. Garrett, of Houston.

Providence, R. I., Dec. 23 (A.P.).—The official count of Rhode Island's vote, the last of the 48 States to be completed, was given out today by the State Returning Board as follows: Roosevelt, 146,604; Hoover, 115,266; Thomas, 3,125; Foster, 546; Reynolds, 433, and Upshaw, 183.

Marshall, Mo., Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Santa Claus is in no condition to attempt trips down the chimneys hereabouts. He is recovering from a fracture of the leg suffered in a fall from a wagon in November. Mr. Claus is a Saline County farmer who lives with his large family 12 miles east of Marshall.

Bristow, Okla., Dec. 23 (A.P.).—There's a scramble when a letter addressed to "L. C. Jones" arrives in the Olive Community, near here. A father and his six sons bear those initials. The boys are Leonard C., Lon C., Lester C., Loyd C., Lewis C. and just L. C., jr. The "C." stands for Clark in each case.

Springfield, Mo., Dec. 23 (A.P.).—The last "hoot" was on Joe Bond. At his farm northwest of Iberia, Bond took a pitchfork to a hoot owl perched in the barn loft. The owl flew against his lantern and knocked it off a rafter, starting a fire which destroyed the barn.

Emmet, Idaho, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—John Lietchy had to thaw his ducks out of a pond with a blow torch. He found them with their feet caught fast in the ice. The only injury apparently suffered was that the heads of several of the ducks had been picked by magpies.

The Saturday Food and Home Economics Page

Appearing Each week in The Washington Post

MEAT SUGGESTED FOR SHAVED BUDGET

Many Cuts Are Far Below Former Price; All Are Body-Builders.

By MARTHA LOGAN.

Once, not so long ago, the dietitians, what home economists there were and the thinking housewives were called to the front to help plan adequate meals with the reduced food supplies at hand. Now, these same people must help to plan reduced income menus for themselves as well as the less fortunate.

Today there isn't a dearth of food, but rather an abundance of food. The problem is not one of a varied diet so much as an adequate low-cost diet, nutritionally speaking. In other words, Mrs. Jones (whose food allowance has been reduced two-thirds) does not have to think and scheme in order to plan a wheatless diet, but must think and scheme how she may serve roast tenderloin of beef with all the proper accompaniments, stay within her food allowance, and still please the family's palates.

Under these conditions the first thing sacrificed seems to be quality in favor of price. This, however, seldom results in an economical saving as more fuel or energy needs to be consumed in making a palatable product. Nor should the requisite building or maintenance foods—meat, milk, cheese and eggs—be sacrificed to the calorie value of the menu. Of the essential building and maintenance foods meat seems to be the food that is first cut from very restricted diets. Diets of this nature so often feed the hungry but do not nourish.

Meat Is Body Builder.

Meat is an excellent source of body-building material, so many nutritionists tell us. Lean meat is a rich source of that much-discussed mineral, iron. This is the reason that meat is called a good blood builder. Liver, heart and kidney are even better sources of iron. Another important mineral, phosphorus, is found in meat. Phosphorus is involved in more life processes and enters into more combinations than any other mineral. Liver, heart and kidney are also excellent sources of vitamins A, B and G.

"Granted," you say, "that all this is true, how can I serve meat at least once a day and still not bring my husband's ire upon my head because of the food bills?"

Meat, like all other foods, has gone down the toboggan of falling price. Especially are the less-demanded cuts a cheap source of nutriment. Few housewives seem to have taken advantage of this fact, however. Many of these less-demanded cuts exceed the roasts or chops in flavor when properly prepared and cooked.

How many of these cuts of beef have you served to your family lately? The neck, fore and hind shank, or plate, in stews; the brisket, chuck, shoulder cuts, heel of round, or rump in any of the many ways they can be braised; or the liver, heart or kidney in a delightful meat pie.

Pork and Lamb Suggestions.

In pork cuts the half or whole hams, shoulder roasts, hearts, liver, hock, kidneys and bacon squares are inexpensive additions to a meal. Lamb offers the shoulder, liver, hearts, rolled breast, stew, shoulder chops, lamberg (the same as hamburg out of the lamb instead) shanks for stew and neck slices. Truly a formidable array of meat suggestions to give variety and palatability to any number of meals. All that is needed is a little pioneer spirit and ingenuity, with either of which the present-day woman is plentifully endowed.

Perhaps you have tried some of these cuts and have not been exactly pleased because you were not sure of the correct method for their preparation. Certain of these cuts may be satisfactorily roasted. For example, shoulder of lamb or pork make very nice roasts. If you purchase them boned, fill the pocket left by the boning with a spicy fruit dressing. Since a low oven temperature is best for roasts, plan foods for the rest of the meal that may be cooked in the oven at the same time.

The cuts that are best for stews are those which have a moderate amount of fat and a small amount of bone. Generally the meat is cut in small pieces. Such cuts are the plate, brisket, neck, flank and shank of beef; the shoulder, neck, breast and flank of lamb and veal. Pork stews are not formally called stews but masquerade under the name of pork pie or chop suey.

Boiling Tends to Toughen.

The larger pieces of meat that can be cut from the shoulder, rump or round are used for braising. In the housewife's language, these are pot roasts or covered oven roasts. This means they are rubbed well with salt, pepper and flour, then browned in a preheated pot-roast pan to which has been added a little lard to supply a little extra fat. When the meat has been nicely browned, reduce the heat, add a small amount of liquid, cover closely, and cook slowly until tender.

Pot roasts are not the only meats that are braised. Flank and round steak are best cooked by this method. Short ribs of beef also may be braised and cooked with browned potatoes that have been cooked with them. Pork chops, as well as pork steaks or veal shoulder chops always should be braised.

Plate and brisket of beef, as well as cured pork cuts may be cooked in water. Although this is commonly termed "boiling," we never boil meats, as this tends to toughen, rather than make more tender the heavier muscle tissue. The meat is placed in a sufficiently large pot, covered with boiling hot water and the fire or heat regulated so that the water does not boil, but just simmers (that point at which the bubbles just come to the surface of the water and do not break through). The longer slow cooking will soften the connective tissue and the meat will be tender and well flavored. Vegetables, such as cabbage, carrots, potatoes, onions and turnips are good cooked with the meat. They should be added at the last just long enough before serving to cook them. If added at the beginning of the cooking they lose their appearance and nutritive value.

Martha Logan Says -- "Try Jellied Ham Loaf"

A jellied meat loaf is always popular for an evening meal, as well as very attractive. Have you tried a jellied ham loaf? To make it, put through the coarse blade of your meat grinder sufficient cooked ham to make 1½ cups when ground. Also chop 2 tablespoons of parsley. Mix together in a saucepan 2 cups of water, 1 tablespoon of vinegar, 3 whole cloves, 1 bouillon cube, 3 or 4 drops of Worcestershire sauce, ½ teaspoon of salt and 2 tablespoons of catsup. Heat until bouillon cube is dissolved and liquid boiling. Pour over 1 package of lemon gelatin in a bowl. Chill in refrigerator. Mix ham and parsley with gelatin mixture when gelatin has cooled. Place in a loaf pan that has been lined with sliced hard-cooked eggs, pimiento and green pepper strips arranged in any design you wish. Place in refrigerator to set. Forget, then, all about the meat for dinner until a few minutes before time to serve. Turn molded ham out on a fairly large platter. Garnish with parsley and a little grated cheese. Surround with pickle fans and stuffed celery. Serve with creamed potatoes, a beverage and fruit pudding. You're welcome!

Market Meanderings

By MILDRED REED BUNDY

280,000 Florida Oranges Brought to Town by Capital Dealer; Plump, Tender Turkeys and Fixings Never So Cheap as Now—Ginger Ale Popular.

TRUE helper to Santa Claus is J. T. Richards, produce merchant in the Southwest market. Oranges by the thousands are a large part of his Christmas service to Washington. This week he has had charge of four carloads of oranges, mostly from Florida. Four carloads mean approximately 280,000 oranges. Not all of them were handled for profit, by any means, for many destitute children will have oranges that have come to them through the help of this kind-hearted merchant.

J. T. Richards.

Apples, too, are prepared by the thousands at the Richards place of business on Water street southwest, for Washington's Christmas. Some of the finest grapes come from there, as well as bushels of nuts, for the holidays.

Some men may work from "sun to sun," according to the old adage, but Richards puts many more hours in his working day than there are from "sun to sun." One-thirty o'clock in the morning is the usual time for him to open his produce business, and he continues until 5 in the afternoon or later—and "hates to go home then," according to his own admission. The absorption in his work may have something to do with his success and the recognition he is receiving. He is president of the Potomac Food Distributors, representing many food dealers in the waterfront market. Recently he was elected to membership in the Rotary Club.

Plump, white-meated, tender turkeys, among the finest ever seen on the Washington poultry market, are to be the feature of Washington's Christmas dinners. This Christmas, more than ever, turkeys should be available for the Capital's family dinner tables, as the price is as low in many places as 21 cents a pound. "I've never seen finer or cheaper turkeys," declared the manager of an important chain store on downtown Thirteenth street, who has many years of food-selling experience on which to base his judgment.

Prices on the turkey's trimmings have not advanced as Christmas nears, as they have in other years. The large Italian chestnuts may be bought today at three pounds for 25 cents, and choice cranberries are two pounds for 25 cents. Celery, for turkey dressing, is excellent, large-stalked and white. Four pounds of red sweet potatoes may be had for a quarter. Green beans and fresh peas sell alike, at two pounds for 25 cents, and lima beans are extremely low in price for the season—at two pounds for 25 cents. For the Christmas salad there are large, perfect hot house tomatoes for 25 cents a pound; alligator pears of good quality for as low as 19 cents, and D'Anjou pears, four pounds for 25 cents.

Fruit cake, made in Southern style, with a molasses flavor, rich with spices, costs only 25 cents a pound in a chain store. Other cakes for the Christmas feast, iced with chocolate or coconut, are in 2-pound sizes for 39 cents.

Ginger ale must play a large part in the good cheer of Washington's Christmas week, for one of the largest chain store concerns estimates that more ginger ale is used in this week than in any other week of the year. Special values on well-known brands are two bottles for 25 cents, instead of the usual price of two bottles for 29 cents. The best of grape juice is also on sale this week at 29 cents a quart, a decided drop from its usual price of 41 cents a quart.

Large mince pies from mincemeat made with real sherry wine are selling in a pastry shop on G street for 50 cents each.

Beets, carrots, turnips, rutabaga, celery, kale, tomatoes, okra, lima beans, string beans and peas are among the fresh vegetables for Christmas recommended by a produce dealer in the Southwest market. Prices of all produce are lower at this time than they have been in the holiday seasons of other years.

The Meanderer can furnish the name of an accommodating poultry dealer in the Southwest market, who is glad to help housewives select the Christmas Day turkey, and sell it to her very reasonably. This dealer handles only high quality poultry, though his prices are not the highest. Many years in business have given him ability to know how to select the best buy, and he is generous with his time in helping with individual selections. Call The Washington Post, National 4205, Extension 52, for the name of this poultry dealer.

In suburban sections of Washington, and in small towns surrounding the city, there are flying squadrons of free-lance dealers in Southern fruits, selling their wares directly from the trucks in which they have been hauled from Florida and adjacent Southern States. Prices from the truck-tail are largely regulated by what the dealer can get, and in a good many cases are decidedly bargain prices. The fleet of truckmen who make a business of hauling the fruit from the South—something like 1,100 miles is the average haul—were seriously hampered this year by the big snow. Not only were some of the roads impassable, but the truckmen did not dare bring the fruit into the area of freezing temperatures until the mercury started its reluctant climb. The result is that some of them who had planned two or more round trips during the holiday season will be able to make only one.

Telephone inquiries about items in this column to The Washington Post, National 4205, Extension 52, or write the Market Meanderer, The Washington Post, inclosing self-addressed, stamped envelope for reply.

Peruvian Paper Says Leticia War Averted

Lima, Peru, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—The newspaper El Comercio said this afternoon it had learned from reliable sources that Colombian forces en route to Leticia by way of the Amazon turned back when they received an offer to go to the west coast by way of Panama.

The newspaper said it welcomed the news because the arrival of the Colombian expedition at Leticia would have made a clash unavoidable on the eastern boundary, provoking "an absurd war."

UNCOOKED PUDDING RECIPE WINS PRIZE

Plum Concoction Offered by Mrs. J. L. O'Connell Gets Post's $5 Award.

Here is a new kind of plum pudding, which needs neither cooking nor "aging." A recipe telling how to prepare it was awarded this week's Post $5 recipe prize.

The formula for "Uncooked Plum Pudding" was submitted by Mrs. J. L. O'Connell, of 934 I street northwest. The recipe follows:

UNCOOKED PLUM PUDDING.

(Awarded $5 Prize.)

1 cup cooked prunes, finely chopped
1 cup grape nuts
1 tablespoon gelatin
2 tablespoons pineapple juice
2 cups boiling water
1 teaspoon cinnamon
½ cup sugar
½ teaspoon salt
½ cup finely shredded citron
1 cup raisins
¼ cup cold water
2 tablespoons molasses
2 tablespoons lemon juice
½ teaspoon allspice
3 egg whites stiffly beaten

Soften gelatin in cold water. Dissolve in boiling water. Add all ingredients except egg whites. Mix thoroughly. Chill until partially set. Fold into egg whites. Pour into shallow pan. Chill until firm. Cut in squares. Serve with whipped cream.

All ingredients may be supplied by Sanitary Grocery or Piggly Wiggly.

MRS. J. L. O'CONNELL,
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PHILLIPS SAUSAGE	lb.	25c
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FRESH LIMA BEANS	2 lbs.	25c
FRESH PEAS IN POD	2 lbs.	25c
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SANICO FINEST FRUIT CAKE	3-lb. size $1.89	5-lb. size $3.00
CALIFORNIA WALNUTS	lb.	25c
MIXED NUTS	lb. 19c	3 lbs. 50c
PAPER SHELL ALMONDS	2 lbs.	35c
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CONGRESS DELAYS.

Senator Bailey asked Congress as it approached the Christmas holiday recess to contemplate what future historians will say of a body that dawdles along in serene indifference while economic conditions become more grave every day. He drew a picture of the Senate discussing, with all earnestness, prospective amendments to the Constitution that may be acted upon in the distant future, and the hypothetical independence of the Philippine Islands. If congressional etiquette had not forbidden, he might have added to this the inability of the House of Representatives to maintain a quorum, because of the anxiety of congressmen to get back home and play Santa Claus. Not the slightest evidence that the country is facing critical difficulties has been manifest on Capitol Hill.

The House has been content to trifle along with a beer bill that is headed for almost certain destruction in one way or another. The Senate has merely killed time, waiting for the House to send over essential measures for enactment at this session. Yet the budget remains unbalanced; the ruinous invasion of the American market by foreign industries becomes more acute because of depreciated currencies; economies have not yet been effected, and no action has been taken to correct the basic weaknesses in the present economic situation. It is already apparent that Congress will accomplish nothing outside of routine legislation before the axe falls on lame ducks on March 4.

Senator Bailey might have been far more satirical than he was. Congress has sidestepped its responsibilities in a reckless manner. Vital legislation on farm relief, banking and taxation, as well as the appropriation bills, awaits consideration. Yet the House on Thursday was trying to do business with only a few members on the floor and less than 100 out of 431 responding to the call for a vote. House leaders were so provoked that they ordered the arrest of all absentee members in the event that a quorum is not present on Tuesday.

The psychological reaction of the people to this indifference on the part of Congress is even more injurious than the failure of Congress to bring forth any constructive measures. When Congress allows conditions to drift from bad to worse, business can not go ahead. Yet only a few on Capitol Hill hear the rumblings of discontent in the distance.

BACK FROM DOORN.

It is reported from Berlin that the cabinet of Chancellor Kurt von Schleicher proposes to lift the ban that has kept the former Emperor Wilhelm an exile from Germany. This will not be done in the form of an invitation to the former kaiser to return, but when the law "protecting the republic" is renewed it is anticipated that the article forbidding his return may be eliminated. Such action would be in line with the growing sentiment favoring a restoration of the monarchy.

No less than nine distinct royalist groups have been busily engaged for some time in the distribution of propaganda favoring a renewal of Hohenzollern power in Germany. In order to consolidate their efforts these organizations have now banded together as the Working Community of the Monarchist Movement. With the increasing public interest in their cause and the friendly government attitude, there is no longer necessity for secrecy, and the royalists feel that by combining their efforts the campaign to restore the kaiser can be made more effective.

Notwithstanding this enthusiastic group of royalists, it is questionable whether Germany is by any means ready as a whole to recall the former kaiser from his retreat in Holland to assume the throne. For the moment republican government does not exist in the Reich. Under emergency powers granted him by the constitution President von Hindenburg rules with all the authority of an absolute dictator through a cabinet that represents only his personal choice. Hostile Reichstags have been dissolved or adjourned as fast as elected. The present cabinet, like its predecessor, is representative of the old militarists and junkers. It does not count the support of 10 per cent of the Reichstag, yet wields power through mandatory decrees. Gen. von Schleicher is the first military chancellor in forty years. He announces that his chief aim at present is to restore industrial activity and provide employment.

With the decline of Hitler's following and the ineptitude of the Reichstag, split into warring factions, the German people look with a new equanimity upon the rule of a strong military leader. If he should be successful in restoring order out of present economic confusion the movement for restoration of the monarchy may lose its force.

FLOUTING THE CONSTITUTION.

Gov. A. Harry Moore, of New Jersey, made a curious decision when he refused to extradite Robert Elliott Burns, fugitive from a Georgia chain gang. He also ignored a very important section of the Federal Constitution. Apparently the governor was swayed by the tales of cruelty that were freely told by persons claiming to be familiar with the administration of law in Georgia. At any rate he took upon himself, as governor of New Jersey, the authority of thwarting the machinery of justice of another State.

The Constitution is very plain on the subject of extradition. It says:

> A person charged in any State with treason, felony or other crime, who shall flee from justice, and be found in another State, shall, on demand of the executive authority of the State from which he fled, be delivered up, to be removed to the State having jurisdiction of the crime.

In view of this plain mandate to surrender fugitives from justice, the hearing which Gov. Moore conducted was a farce. It is not his responsibility to pass upon the Georgia penal system. Gov. Moore says that he decided the case "on its merits." Thereby he constitutes himself a judge and jury for the adjudication of a case arising under the laws of another State. He has no authority to pass on the merits of the case.

Only one question could properly arise in the hearing conducted by the governor: Is the defendant a fugitive from justice? It was freely admitted that Burns was a fugitive. Even the man whom he robbed was in attendance at the hearing. The whole case against his extradition was built up on the alleged cruelty of Georgia officials to convicts serving on chain gangs in that State. Obviously, the manner in which Georgia handles its prisoners is not the business of a governor of New Jersey.

If the precedent set by Gov. Moore should become general, conditions would be intolerable. State lines would become barriers behind which any criminals might hide. This is exactly the sort of chaos which the Constitution makers sought to avoid. They knew that the States could not hold together unless they all recognized and respected the rights of each to administer justice in its own way.

The abuse of justice in Georgia, if there is abuse, is a matter that concerns the people of that State. It can not be corrected by the government of another State.

TO AID DEBTORS.

In the midst of all the current discussion of intergovernmental debts and the obligations of great corporations, the individual debtor has not been entirely overlooked. His need for relief in many instances is recognized by a bill drafted by the Department of Justice which is now before the judiciary committees of both the House and Senate. It is attracting increasing interest among members of Congress. The measure is in line with the Attorney General's recommendations repeated this year for reforms in bankruptcy legislation.

The new bill in question provides that a debtor may make application for hearing before a Federal Court and declare that he is unable to meet his obligations. He may propose to his creditors a compromise settlement in full, a partial payment on account, or a request for an extension of time with the intention of payment in full. If a compromise is agreed upon generally it is to be ratified by the court. If a majority of the creditors accept the debtor's proposal and the judge finds it equitable so far as the minority interests are concerned, it is to become binding upon all.

Those who favor this measure hold that it is as important for the protection of creditors as for the relief of debtors. Debtors who have signed notes or mortgaged their property, it is held, frequently are able to postpone court action until assets have been virtually dissipated. The bill attempts to relieve the stigma attached to bankruptcy by making it possible for a debtor to make the fairest possible adjustment with his creditors while there still remain values to be salvaged.

FALSE REPORTS ON TRADE.

Official and unofficial circles in Washington are puzzled by a report from Geneva that the League of Nations has discovered a decline of 67.5 per cent in the foreign trade of the United States for the first half of 1932 as compared with the corresponding period of last year. The League's annual review of world trade notes continuation of a "startling decline" and points to the United States as the chief victim. The report reeks with inaccuracy.

In what appears to be an attempt to substantiate this absurd report from Geneva, the New York Times quotes figures from the Department of Commerce. "The total value of exports from the United States in the first six months ended in June," it says, "was $841,077,332, as compared with $1,315,965,734 in the corresponding period of 1931, a decline of about 63 per cent." The figures themselves are correct, but they represent a decline of 36 per cent in value, and not "about 63 per cent."

Another gross error is made in calculating the decline of imports. The Times says: "Imports in the six months of 1932 totaled $747,894,688, compared with $1,107,150 in the corresponding period of 1931, a decline of about 67 per cent." Obviously the latter figure and the percentage are in error. The correct figure for imports in the first half of 1931 is $1,107,150,000, and the percentage of decline is not "about 67 per cent," but 32 per cent.

Errors may easily be excused, but this grossly misleading report from Geneva ought not to stand uncorrected. The decline in the value of American foreign trade is about one-half as great as indicated by the Geneva reports. Even this correction does not, however, give an accurate view of the situation. Prices have undergone drastic revisions during the last year. A large part of the so-called shrinkage in foreign trade represents nothing more than falling prices. In the actual quantity of goods sent abroad the decline was about 20 per cent, and the actual shrinkage in the volume of imports was much less than that.

Other sections of the report from Geneva are misleading. The decline in world trade, it says, is becoming more drastic. Statistics are not available for other countries, but American trade has shown considerable improvement in recent months. This discrepancy probably arises from the fact that the League's findings are six months out of date.

Allegations that American trade has fallen more than that of other countries are untrue. In the last year American exports have declined about 21 per cent, which is the average for the whole world. The decline in imports to this country is much less than the world average.

European countries are making a desperate effort to convince the American people that ruin is in store for them unless they shoulder some of Europe's burdens. It would be interesting to know what part that sentiment played in the formation of this false report on world trade.

FEDERAL AGENCIES CRIPPLED.

The resignation of Charles R. Crisp, former representative from Georgia, as a member of the Tariff Commission is only one example of how the policy of the Senate Democrats with regard to nominations is affecting the Government service. Mr. Crisp, a Democrat, decided to step out into private employment because the Senate refused to confirm his appointment by President Hoover. The Tariff Commission thus loses an experienced and competent member, and no new appointment can be made until the Roosevelt administration has been installed.

As a result the work of the commission will be seriously impeded. President Hoover recently asked the commission to investigate the importation of cheap foreign merchandise coming from nations off the gold standard. It is working overtime to perform this service in behalf of distressed American industries. At its most busy moment it is crippled because of the insistence of the Senate that political plums be saved up for several months in advance for the new administration.

Incidentally, this decision will also put the Democrats on the bipartisan Tariff Commission in the minority. The commission must decide important matters, on which the policies of the two parties clash, with only two Democratic members as against three Republicans. Yet the Senate leaders persist in barring out all Democrats who have been appointed to prominent positions by President Hoover.

A considerable number of important posts must remain vacant for several months. Some districts are denied judges because the Senate Democratic leaders regard judicial positions as legitimate spoils of victory at the polls.

Bolivia and Paraguay agree to a Christmas truce in the Chaco, showing that it can be done. Now if they will declare a truce for every holiday in Latin America there will be perpetual peace.

Frank Roosevelt is having a hard time trying to frame a Cabinet that is not made up exclusively of New Yorkers and Georgians.

Andrew Mellon has a canny gift of foresight. He believes there will be a new Ambassador to London before long.

Soviet peasants have lost their appetite for work, just like Congress, but their appetite for food is as keen as ever.

No wonder Japan is worried about providing ammunition, when China recruits 2,500,000 extra soldiers.

Here's hoping President Hoover will balance his piscatorial budget, anyway.

Technocrats will have to wait. Democrats have the next fling.

A CHRISTMAS CAROL

A special feature of the Christmas Day services in Washington Cathedral will be the singing during evensong service in the great Choir of a carol, "Upon the Solemn Midnight Hour," written by the Bishop of Washington, the Right Rev. Dr. James Edward Freeman. The words, which are appropriate to the commemoration of the Holy Nativity, have been set to music by Stanley R. Avery.

The carol will be sung for the first time by the Cathedral choir of men and boys, under the direction of Mr. Edgar Priest. The words are as follows:

Upon the solemn midnight hour,
When earth is wrapped in sleep,
While shepherds, watching o'er their flocks,
Their silent vigil keep,
A band of angels, clothed in white,
Proclaim with joyful song
The advent of the Son of Man,
The Mighty and the Strong.

REFRAIN.

Merrily, merrily ring the bells,
The joyous Christmas bells;
A message of peace and a story divine
Their silvery chiming tells.

All Hail! they cry, with accents clear,
A message new we bring;
The sceptera of the world must bend
Before the new-born King.
The Lord of men this day is born
Within a manger stall.
Come now with us to Bethlehem
And see the Lord of all.

A brilliant star with flaming ray,
Bright censer of the night,
Above the new-born Prince appears,
To aid the Magi's flight.
From far and near, as gifts of love,
The wise and lowly bring
Their holy offerings to their Lord;
Hark! how the angels sing.

All peace on earth, and joy abound,
On high let glory ring;
'Tis Christmas Day for all the earth,
The birthday of the King.
Forevermore on this bright day
Let gladsome joy and mirth
Enkindle young and old alike
To keep the Saviour's birth.

The Double Kick. —Detroit News.

POST HASTE.

So there's not going to be any change of debt-ridden horses while swapping Presidents, either.

Maybe we shouldn't be surprised that lame ducks adopt the side-step as their official dance.

Falling income tax returns are more eloquent than figures of speech in pointing the need of a sales tax.

With only one-seventh as many million dollar incomes and the loss of a million taxpayers from the lists, the revenue base must be broadened on a pay-as-we-go system that avoids delinquencies.

Senator Frazier's bill would refinance farmers' debts at 1½ per cent. Isn't there some other senator generous enough with Uncle Sam's money to favor the rest of us the same way?

Hi Bingham would have his joke, trying to make the Senate swallow the beer bill whole without tasting the hops of bitter debate.

Chairman Farley somewhat "spoils" the altruistic character of the new deal by promising 150,000 jobs for deserving Democrats.

Cabinet post rumors are revived by the visit of Felix Frankfurter to Albany. Credit us one for not indulging in baloney.

Members of Congress have been talking a good deal about the bad effects of the French default on other nations. By the same sign, their duty is to let a balanced Federal budget set an example for States and municipalities.

Some think the most important result to come from legalized beer will be to give the States experience in handling the more ardent liquor control problems if and when repeal follows.

Just as the world was wondering whether it would have to chip in for obsequies China startles us with the news, of all things, that she has balanced her budget.

Distance lends enhancement to every Albany rumor.

Speaker Garner's most arresting gesture commands attention, particularly from representatives who will be brought back under guard if they don't produce a quorum next Tuesday.

France finds she has the Edge on all other nations when it comes to the Roosevelt plan to discuss debts through diplomats.

Senator Borah says the beer bill betrays the Constitution for 30 pieces of silver. This is the lowest revenue estimate yet. PAUL HUDSON.

JUST FOLKS

By EDGAR A. GUEST

CHRISTMAS EVE.

Into the crowded inn they came,
Mary and Joseph of Nazareth,
And nobody noticed a star's bright flame
Or the first glad cry on a baby's breath;
But strangely the morning dawned to bring
Shepherds who asked for the new-born King.

The shepherds asked for the new-born King.
"He sleeps in a stable near," said they.
"We have heard the angels of Heaven sing
And that star above us has led the way!"
They talked with Joseph, and Mary smiled
As the shepherds gazed at her lovely child.

The men and the women who filled the inn
No heed to the star or the shepherds paid;
Their hearts had no room to let Jesus in,
For their kings wore purple and gold brocade—
And they never knew in their smug conceit
How close they had been to the Master's feet.

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Another Letter From a Bald-Headed Dad to His Flapper Daughter

By ROBERT QUILLEN

MY Dear Louise: You are a product of the "scientific age." Like others of your generation, you accept without question the theories advanced by popular scientists.

Suppose, then, that some man like Jeems or Einstein should assure you that the universe is controlled by some far-distant center of power that emanates cosmic rays.

And suppose he should say: "These ways or waves have a frequency of 7,000,000 to the second, no more, no less, and this exactly corresponds to the frequency of waves that are generated by the brain when it concentrates on the thought of service to others.

"Thus the brain 'tunes in' and connects with the driving power of the universe and the individual receives a flow of power that enables him to achieve what he will."

Suppose you should read that and believe it. What would you do? I suspect you would do your utmost to get in tune with the central power station.

Well, something of the kind is possible—but it isn't "scientific."

Have you observed that few people except children are happy or contented or free of envies and longings and regrets?

And has it occurred to you that something must be wrong when life affords so little joy and so much dissatisfaction?

Well, people miss happiness because they are trying to find it in money and property and play-pretties and the applause of other people. And it can't be done.

The only way of happiness I know is to give your life to God.

I don't know how you go about it. I suppose it is altogether a matter of desire. But I do know that when your one desire is to do His will, you are purged of all littleness—of envy, malice, greed, intolerance, spite and petty ambition—and your reward is peace and happiness.

Whether being in tune with Him gives you a new power, I do not profess to know. But I assure you that a life dedicated to Him is never a petty or empty life.

I want you to be happy—to live abundantly. And if any other course could lead you to abiding happiness, I would urge you to follow it. Love, DAD.

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POLITICAL COMMENT

Fake Independence.
St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

From time to time, the Filipinos have asked for independence, but we have put them off on the theory that they have not yet served a full apprenticeship, and we did not wish to cast them adrift before they could justify our experiment. At last, however, the movement for Philippine independence has gained such momentum that the Senate has passed a bill freeing the islands in 1944.

It takes only a superficial examination of this legislation to realize that, instead of being actuated by consideration for the Philippines, instead of proceeding from a whole-hearted desire to give them liberty, it arises from a desire to restrict Philippine immigration and products, particularly sugar. The hand is the hand of Uncle Sam, but the voice is the voice of sugar.

Dealing With France.
Philadelphia Record.

There is still time for conciliation. The United States, greatest and most powerful of all the nations, is big enough to overlook a slight. Both Hoover and Roosevelt are committed to reconsideration of the debts in the light of capacity to pay and in return for concessions of armaments and tariffs.

Congress should not permit an unwise and foolish default to hinder a world economic conference on debts as well as other economic ailments and to pave the way for our own recovery and the world's.

If only the United States could say to France, as one friend to another: "You've treated us unfairly. But because of our friendship, we can forgive and forget when we meet to talk it over."

War Intolerable
Topeka Capital.

In communist Russia the whole country is suffering from shortage of food. And in capitalistic America the whole country is suffering from excess of food supplies. When all the other obscure causes for suffering everywhere are considered, it all comes down to the fact that war, which the dominant governments are always preparing for by competing in armaments, is impossible to tolerate in a twentieth century economic world.

Bad Time for Economy.
Wheeling Register.

It seems the irony of fate that just as the Democrats get in there should be so much talk of economy.

True to Their Word.
Ohio State Journal.

As we recall, the French told the Americans when they went over to aid in the war, "We can never repay you." It seems that they haven't changed their mind.

Or "Dividend."
Ohio State Journal.

Strange to say, the list of ten most beautiful words selected by a dictionary publisher didn't include prosperity, but maybe it is now considered obsolete and archaic.

Trouble Brewing.
Los Angeles Times.

Since Washington State repealed its dry act, thieves have been stealing hop plants from around the homes in the Yakima Indian Reservation. And, as might be expected, the Yakimas are hopping mad about it.

Now the Allotment Plan.
Minneapolis Journal.

The leaders of the three great national farm organizations—the Grange, the Bureau and the Union—seem at last to have come together on the most promising of the various schemes of farm relief, namely, the domestic voluntary allotment plan.

Since President-elect Roosevelt has pledged himself to accept any plan on which the farm leaders agree, and since this plan seems most nearly to meet the six requirements he outlined in his Topeka speech, it may safely be assumed that, if any farm relief plan is adopted by the present Congress, it will be this one.

The basis of the domestic voluntary plan is the collection of an excise tax on the domestic sales of processors of certain exportable farm products and the disbursement of its proceeds to their producers in such a way that they will receive in addition to the market price thereof such additional amounts as will correspond to the tariff theron. These payments are to go only to those farmers who voluntarily enter the arrangement and who undertake to cut down their production to such an agreed-upon extent as will wipe out the surplus.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Corporations and Employes Should Unite to Create Unemployment Reserve Fund.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: If the advocates of unemployment insurance mean the creation of a fund out of which those who are unemployed during times of depression are to be paid a certain amount, they are beginning at the wrong end, in my opinion.

Such a fund should be created for the purpose of a guaranty against unemployment, which is a very different proposition, and I would like to support this contention by a concrete example.

I have been employed by a corporation which has been in business for nearly half a century, during which it has been very successful and has amassed a great surplus and paid large dividends.

If, however, instead of carrying all net profits after dividends to surplus, they had set aside a certain percentage each year for the creation of a fund against unemployment, to which fund the employes also should have contributed a small percentage of their salaries, that fund as of January 1, 1932, would have been sufficient to carry all the staff through the severest depression we have known without discharging a single one.

As a simple investment proposition this would be hard to beat, as it would have resulted in keeping up the morale of the staff and securing loyal and efficient service in the highest degree.

Lacking such a fund, however, the result has been a drastic cut in salaries and a 50 per cent reduction in personnel and, even worse than that, impairment of morale, as those still employed live in the fear of further reductions in pay and the possibility of being discharged.

This fear, incidentally, curtails the purchasing power of these people, and it is no wonder that under such conditions trade is so slow in recovering.

There are undoubtedly a great number of corporations which could adopt the plan I have suggested, and this would solve the problem of unemployment to a very large extent.

UNEMPLOYED.

Sales Tax Would Be Fair to All and Would Prevent Political Revenue Legislation.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: Your correspondent who signs himself "Democrat" puts the query, "Why don't members of Congress pass a sales tax?" The answer is members of Congress don't pass a sales tax because a real general sales tax would prevent "log-rolling." Favoritism in schedules is now possible under excise and customs taxes, and rebates in income taxes under the present system of taxation. Being politicians first, self-preservation is natural, so tax laws are enacted that meet the wishes of those contributing most to their election.

Under a general sales tax of 2¼ per cent applying to all sales, there would be no opportunity for dealing with favored interests for support or assurance of tax reductions. A general sales tax honestly enacted and enforced, exempting foodstuffs and clothing only, would provide sufficient revenue to meet all revenue needs of the Government and permit the abolishing of the so-called special or nuisance taxes as well as the income taxes on all except large unearned incomes.

To make this tax really effective it should apply to transactions in the stock exchange, and tax exempt securities should be abolished. Our tax and revenue system will then be in the interest of the country as a whole and not for reelection purposes.

DEMOCRATIC SYMPATHIZER.

Engineer Can't Figure Out Estimated Revenue on Beer Unless Babies Consume 10 Gallons a Year.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: Senator Tydings "would levy a tax of 1 cent a glass or 2 cents a pint on beer. The Senator estimated this would raise $200,000,000 the first year and more later."

At 2 cents per pint tax, 10,000,000,000 pints must be sold to "raise $200,000,000." (This takes into account no overhead; revenue officers, inspectors, governmental clerks, stamps or other expenses.)

Therefore; each adult, child and baby of our total population of some 120,000,000 must on the average, consume something over ten gallons of beer annually.

There are those who have estimated a return of $300,000,000 from this tax.

What is the answer to this problem in arithmetic?

MECHANICAL ENGINEER.

Chevy Chase Car Schedule Needs Readjustment to Prevent Overcrowding.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: On the Chevy Chase line of the Capital Traction Co., there is an intermission of 12 minutes in their service after 5:30 p. m. Then there are two cars following each other 2 minutes apart. The first of these is packed to suffocation before it reaches Thomas Circle, while the other is scarcely filled.

If the schedule of the first car were moved 5 minutes ahead, it would not only improve the service, but would eliminate the overcrowding of the first car. A PATRON.

Another Dry Denies Economic Benefit of Repeal.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: The correct definition for and ultimate result of the inflation of the currency will be, getting two nickels for a dime. The correct definition for and ultimate result of the repeal of the eighteenth amendment will be, trading a meal ticket for booze.

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Events in Washington Society

Christmas Baskets Distributed by Mrs. Hoover.

MRS. HOOVER, ACCOMPANIED by Miss Doris Goss, attended the distribution of Christmas baskets at the Central Union Mission yesterday morning and in the afternoon she assisted at a similar ceremony at the Salvation Army. Last evening the President and Mrs. Hoover left for the South, going by train to Savannah, Ga. There they will board the Department of Commerce boat, Sequoia, for a cruise in Florida waters, returning after the New Year.

Those who accompanied the President and Mrs. Hoover were Senator and Mrs. Warren R. Austin, Justice and Mrs. Harlan Fiske Stone; Mr. Mark Sullivan; Capt. Joel T. Boone and Mr. Lawrence Richey.

The Ambassador of Turkey, Mr. Ahmet Muhtar, and the Second Secretary of the Embassy, Ussaki Bulent Bey, left yesterday for the South. They went to Norfolk by boat and will then drive along the coast to Palm Beach and Miami, thence to Jacksonville, Aiken and Pinehurst, returning to Washington about January 3.

The Minister of Canada and Mrs. William Duncan Herridge have gone to Canada to remain until after the New Year.

The Minister of Roumania, Mr. Charles A. Davila, who recently arrived in New York from Europe, will spend Christmas in New York and will return to Washington on Wednesday.

The Attorney General and Mrs. William DeWitt Mitchell will have as their guests over the holidays their sons, Mr. William Mitchell, of St. Paul, Minn., and Mr. Bancroft Mitchell and his wife, of New York. For Christmas dinner their guests will include Mr. and Mrs. H. Brian Holland and Mr. Holland. Mrs. Holland is Mrs. Mitchell's niece.

Senator and Mrs. John B. Kendrick left yesterday for Maxwell Field, Montgomery, Ala., to spend the Christmas holidays with their son-in-law and daughter, Maj. and Mrs. Hubert Reilly Harmon, and small daughter, Lula.

Senator and Mrs. Daniel O. Hastings have left for Miami, Fla., where they will remain during the congressional recess.

Entertainments Planned For Miss Evans.

Representative and Mrs. William E. Evans have with them for the holidays their daughter, Miss Catherine Evans, who is a student at the University of Southern California. Tomorrow Miss Evans will be the guest, in whose honor Miss Lucy Sharpe will entertain at tea, and on Monday she will be the honor guest at a tea given by Miss Betty West at her home in Chevy Chase.

Representative Fred A. Britten will entertain at his usual Christmas Day party Sunday morning from 11 until 1 o'clock, in his home on Sheridan Circle, in honor of the Speaker of the House, Mr. John N. Garner, and Representative Bertrand Snell.

Representative and Mrs. William E. Hess, who make their home at the Shoreham, have left for Cincinnati for the Christmas holidays. Mr. and Mrs. Ford Hovey, who make their home at the Shoreham, will spend Christmas with their children in Omaha.

Mrs. William V. Pratt, wife of the chief of naval operations; the Assistant Secretary of War, Mr. Frederick H. Payne; Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Guy Henry, Maj. Gen. and Mrs. George S. Simonds, Col. and Mrs. Edward H. Schulz, Capt. and Mrs. Frank D. Berrien and Mrs. Arthur MacArthur will receive with Mrs. Helen Ray Hagner at the fifth annual midshipman and cadet ball, to be held at the Mayflower Monday evening. Col. Joseph J. Staley will introduce the guests as he has done for the past four years.

Charge Gives Dinner For Paraguay Visitors.

The Charge d'Affaires of Paraguay and Senora de Ynsfran entertained at dinner Thursday evening at the Legation when the guests of honor were Dr. J. J. Soler, Minister Plenipotentiary from Paraguay to the United States here on a special mission, and his daughter, Senorita Anna Maria Soler and Senor Roger Ayala, son of the President of Paraguay, who is in Washington for a visit.

The Assistant Secretary of the Navy and Mrs. Ernest Lee Jahncke and their daughter, Miss Adele Townsend Jahncke, have left Washington to spend Christmas in their home in New Orleans. They will be joined today by Mr. Stanton Jahncke, Midshipman Ernest Lee Jahncke, jr., and Miss Cora Stanton Jahncke, a student at Newcomb College.

Justice and Mrs. F. Dickinson Letts will entertain at a tea dance at their home, 3500 Garfield street, on Friday, December 30, from 5 until 7 o'clock, for their daughter, Miss Dorothy Letts. The guests will include about 75 members of the subdebutante set and their escorts.

Tewksbury Sisters Introduced Today.

Dr. and Mrs. William P. Tewksbury will introduce their daughters, Miss Jane West Tewksbury and Miss Helen Davis Tewksbury, to Washington society at a tea dance at the Chevy Chase Club this afternoon. Miss Jane Tewksbury's gown is of dusty blue with high neck, puffed sleeves and high wrapped girdle of sheer rough crepe, and her sister's gown is of dusty pink. They both will carry pink roses. Mrs. Tewksbury will wear a gown of brown velvet, full sleeves and high waist, with semillow neck.

Assisting Mrs. Tewksbury will be Mrs. David Burnet, Mrs. Whitman Cross, Mrs. J. Frederick Essary, Mrs. Harry A. Greene, Mrs. Clarence Hall, Mrs. Edmond Horgan, Mrs. Joseph Horgen, Mrs. J. Wilmer Latimer, Mrs. Arthur McElroy, Mrs. Malcolm Matheson, Mrs. William A. Morgan, Mrs. Harry A. Ony, Mrs. Edgar Snowden, Mrs. W. Calhoun Sterling, Mrs. Charles Hook Tompkins, Mrs. E. W. Titus and Mrs. J. Curtis Walker. With the debutantes will be Miss Mary Lee Bell, Miss Betty Ainsworth Burke, Miss Annabel Essary, Miss Helene Fortescue, Miss Virginia Hall, Miss Julia Matheson, Miss Louise Chappell Tompkins, Miss Emma Henry Tompkins, Miss Ethel Mae Taylor and Miss Katherine Hillyer. The club will be decorated with palms and holly and on the buffet table will be a large vase of red roses and many red candles.

Snapped at Recent Ball

Underwood & Underwood.

Miss Rion Fortescue, daughter of Col. and Mrs. Granville Fortescue, and Lieut. Fletcher Cole arriving at the Washington Junior Assembly Wednesday evening.

Representative's Daughter Married in Arkansas.

A congressional wedding of much interest took place at noon yesterday in the Penn Memorial Baptist Church, Eureka Springs, Ark., when Miss Ruth Marie Fuller, daughter of Representative and Mrs. Claude A. Fuller, of Eureka Springs, Ark., became the bride of Mr. John Storms Cross, of the National Park Service, Hot Springs, Ark., son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas C. Cross, of Columbia, S. C. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. W. Royal.

The bride was given in marriage by her father and wore an afternoon gown of brown bagheera cloth, cut on princess lines; with ermine cape sleeves. Miss Dorothy Fuller, sister, of the bride, was the maid of honor.

A breakfast followed at the home of the bride's parents for the wedding party.

Mr. Cross and his bride left after the breakfast for a wedding trip. They will make their home at Hot Springs.

Mrs. Glendenning Gives Dinner for Sister.

Mrs. Alicia du Pont Glendenning entertained at dinner last evening in her home on Massachusetts avenue for her sister, Miss Emily Stuart Maddox, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Amory Maddox. The guests were the Charge d'Affaires of Chile, Mr. Benjamin Cohen; Miss Sarah Lee Ferot, Miss Marie Taylor McCormick, Miss Jean Ulman, Mr. William Asher, Mr. Paul Henderson, Mr. Clarence Dodge, Jr., and Mr. Louis Ulman.

Later the party attended the dance which Mr. and Mrs. Cazenove Lee, jr., gave at the Mayflower for their daughter, Miss Margot du Pont Lee, and Miss Denise du Pont, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred I. du Pont.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeremiah Milbank entertained at a supper dance on Thursday at the River Club in New York to introduce their daughter, Miss Margaret Milbank. Among the guests of interest to Washington were Miss Alexandra Bacon, debutante daughter of Representative and Mrs. Robert Low Bacon; Miss Constance Morrow, debutante daughter of Mrs. Dwight Morrow; Mr. Warren Delano Robbins, jr., Mr. Henry H. Villard and Mr. Paul Mellon.

Mr. Lars Anderson will arrive at White Sulphur Springs today to spend the holidays.

Mrs. George Mesta entertained at luncheon Thursday at the Waldorf-Astoria in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen H. P. Pell.

Smith-Berry Wedding In Church Next Wednesday.

The marriage of Miss Katherine Compton Berry, daughter of Mrs. Buckner M. Randolph, to Capt. Carleton Smith, U. S. A., will take place Wednesday in the Church of the Holy City at 4 o'clock in the afternoon with the Rev. Paul Sperry officiating.

Miss Berry will be attended by Mrs. T. B. Clement, formerly Miss Dona Otley Berry, as matron of honor, and her maid of honor will be Miss Doris Goss. Little Donna Elizabeth Clement and Margaret Foxhall Clement will be flower girls.

Mr. L. Mercer Smith will be best man for his brother; and the ushers will include Capt. Horace B. Smith, Capt. Raymond Dalley, Capt. August W. Spitler, Lieut. Paul A. Caraway, Lieut. James Regan, jr., Lieut. John G. Hill and Lieut. Thomas H. Allen, all of the United States Army.

Mrs. Joseph Tribby entertained at luncheon and bridge yesterday at the Army-Navy Country Club in honor of Miss Gena Kincheloe, house guest of Miss Caroline Hyde. Among the guests were Miss Caroline Hyde, Miss Madge Ely, Miss Laura Katherine Field, Miss Priscilla Watson, Miss Lucille Elliott, Mrs. Albert Earle Conradis, Mrs. Baldwin Cook, Mrs. Eugene Sykes, Mrs. Eugene Woodson, Mrs. William Eugene Elliott and Mrs. Eldon Paul King.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence L. Harding announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Ruth Fuller, to Mr. Wilbur A. Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Allen Smith, of Chappaqua, N. Y., on December 14 in New York City.

Col. and Mrs. Charles Annesley Romeyn have arrived from Amherst, Mass., and will spend the holidays with Miss Romeyn at the Portsmouth.

Mr. Luis Castro Urena has issued invitations for the dinner-dance this evening at Wardman Park. His guests, who will number eight, will attend the supper-dance later in the gold room of the hotel. Mr. Frederick S. Fox will also entertain for six guests and Mr. William O. Connor will be host to a party of four.

Mrs. Luis Wahl and Miss Fenella Castanedo announce the cancellation of their dinner-dance at the Shoreham Thursday, December 29, and their buffet supper at home on January 1 on account of the critical illness of Mrs. Wahl's father.

Miss Ball Dinner Hostess for Mrs. King.

Miss Elizabeth Ball entertained at dinner last evening at the Grafton for Mrs. Franklin King, later taking her guests to the dance which Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tompkins gave for their debutante daughters. Miss Ball will leave today for Virginia Beach to spend Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Gest have gone to Philadelphia to spend the holidays with the former's parents.

Dr. and Mrs. James Alexander Lyon have as their guests at Glen View Farm Mrs. Percy W. Foote and her daughter, Miss Diane Foote, for the holidays. They will be joined today by Cadet Thomas Foote from West Point. Dr. and Mrs. Lyon will entertain at dinner on Christmas. Dr. Lyon entertained at dinner Thursday evening for ten of his colleagues.

Miss Cynthia Hathaway, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harrison R. Hathaway, of Moorland lane, Bethesda, a senior at Low-Heywood School, has returned for the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard H. Sypher leave today for Bethlehem, Pa., to

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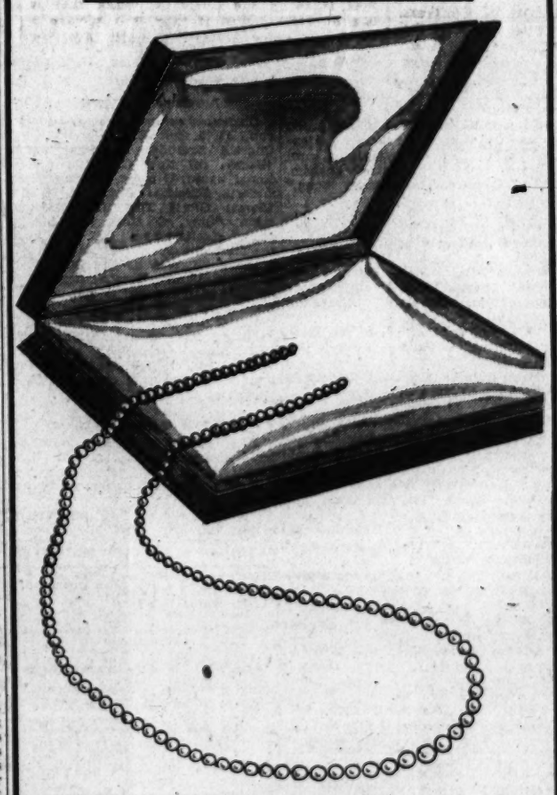
The Christmas Store



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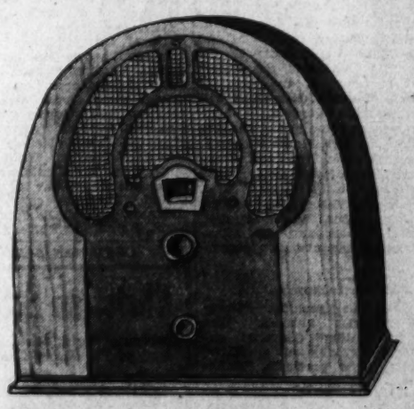

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Baptist

West Washington Church.

The Rev. Charles B. Austin, pastor. Mrs. Emory H. Bogley, organist; Mrs. Gladys P. Sanders, choir director.

11: a. m.—Organ prelude, "Pastoral (Lichner); hymn, No. 92, "O Come, All Ye Faithful;" anthem, "Hear the Angel Voices Sweetly Singing;" hymn, No. 101, "As With Gladness Men of Old;" anthem, "The Holy Babe of Bethlehem" (Danks); anthem, "The Royal Gift;" hymn, No. 96, "Hark! the Herald Angels Sing; organ prelude, "Credo" (Haydn).

8 p. m.—Organ prelude, "Largo" (Handel); processional, "Angels From the Realms of Glory" (Montgomery); anthem, "Blessed Be the Lord" (Wood); anthem, "Behold I Bring You Glad Tidings" (Lerman); solos, tenor, G. V. Blakeney; contralto, Florence Sabean; anthem, "The Angel's Song;" solos, Eleanor Gray, Laura Williams, Busey Howard, Harry McKnee; anthem, "Sweet Is Thy Mercy;" solo, Viola Spillman; quartet, "It Is a Good Thing to Give Thanks" (Solly), Ella Killmore, Gladys Sanders, G. V. Blakeney, Alan Warfield; male chorus, "We Three Kings of Orient Are" (Hopkins); anthem, "Shine O Wonderful Star;" solo, Marjorie Hunt; anthem, "Te Deum" (Lloyd); solo, Roy Sabean; duet, Gladys Sanders, Alan Warfield; anthem, "O Light Eternal;" organ postlude, "Cum Sancto" (Mozart).

First Church, Hyattsville.

Special Christmas music under the direction of Mrs. Ethel Manning.

Morning worship—The choir will sing "Our Lord Immanuel" by Ira Wilson. The pastor, Dr. B. P. Robertson will bring a Christmas message.

Evening worship—The evening hour will be devoted entirely to the rendition of a Christmas cantata by the augmented choir, "The Story of Bethlehem," by W. Spence. This cantata will be given under the direction of Mrs. Ethel Manning, with Mrs. W. A. Cookman as accompanist. The special soloists will be: Soprano, Mrs. Ethel Manning; contralto, Mrs. Agnes W. Rymer; tenor, Thomas Hayes; bass, C. W. Dwiggins.

Takoma Park Church.

The Rev. William E. La Rue, pastor. Morning—Organ prelude, "Adoration" (Borowski); anthem, "Behold I Bring You Good Tidings" (Geibel); anthem, "Sing, O Heavens" (Tours); soprano solo, "The Birthday of a King" (Neidlinger), Miss Treva Cameron; organ postlude, "Hallelujah" (Handel).

The choir—Sopranos, Mrs. Roy A. Ebner, Mrs. Hugh O. McKinnie, Miss Winnifred Royle, Miss Treva Cameron; altos, Mrs. Victor M. Giffen, Mrs. Charles G. Royle, Mrs. Howard S. Rappleye, Mrs. Charles W. Flora; tenors, Roy L. Whitman, Paul Y. Garrett, John Gunnell; basses, E. T. Boylen, R. W. Collison, R. A. Ebner; Mrs. Isabel P. Middlekauff, organist and director of choir.

At the evening service there will be a special Christmas entertainment under auspices of the Sunday school.

Chevy Chase Church.

Nellie Barber Brooks will be guest soloist at the Chevy Chase Baptist Church Christmas night, singing Hamlen's "O Babe Divine." The choir will sing the following: "The Christmas Glory Song," J. H. Meredith; "O Night of Holy Memory," Ira B. Wilson; "An Angel's Story," H. P. Hopkins; "It Is the Blessed Christmas Morn," J. C. Bartlett.

Metropolitan Church.

Morning service—Organ prelude, Hallelujah Chorus, Handel, Mrs. Gertrude S. Mockbee; duet, "Christmas," Shelley, Mrs. John G. Clary and Mrs. Gilbert A. Clark; organ offertory, "The Shepherds," Salome; anthem, "There Shall Come a Star," Lansing; duet, "The Infant Jesus," Yon, Mrs. John G. Clary and Nathan A. Clark; organ postlude, "Christmas March," Merkel.

Evening service — Organ prelude, "March of the Candy Fairy," Tschaikowsky, Mrs. Gertrude S. Mockbee; anthem, "Hark, What Mean Those Holy Voices?" Henrich; trio, "We Three Kings," Bullard, Dr. Sterling Bockoven, Nathan A. Clark and Gilbert C. Clark; organ offertory, "Shepherds' Pipes," Harris; anthem, "Star of the Orient," Shelley; organ postlude, "March of the Toys," V. Herbert.

Members of choir—Sopranos, Mrs. John G. Clary, Mrs. Milton H. Prosperi, Miss Margaret Jones, Mrs. Daily Everett, Mrs. Gertrude Hersey, Mrs. Nathan A. Clark, Mrs. George E. Downer, Miss Madge J. Everett and Mrs. Oscar M. Embrey; altos, Mrs. Gilbert A. Clark, Miss Helen L. Tucker, Mrs. Daniel C. Shankle, Miss Miriam Beale, Miss Marjorie C. Wine and Mrs. Will E. Ivie; tenors, Dr. Sterling Bockoven, Dr. W. Bruce Hoofnagle, Will E. Ivie and George E. Downer; bassos, Gilbert A. Clark, Nathan A. Clark, Gilbert C. Clark, R. E. Beale, Harry Mockbee and Leonard P. Ousley; organist, Mrs. Gertrude S. Mockbee; director, Gilbert A. Clark.

Fifth Church.

The choir, under the direction of J. Humbird Duffey, will sing on Christmas night at 7:45 Dudley Buck's cantata, "The Coming of the King."

Several members of the Potomac Power Co.'s Kilowatt Glee Club will assist in the male choruses.

The numerous solos in the cantata will be sung by Mrs. Grace Richards, Mrs. Elsie J. Douglas, Mrs. Pearl Windsor, sopranos; Mrs. Mabel Geyser, Miss Beverly Newton, altos; Messrs. J. H. Ingram, Eugene Obryhim, tenors; Messrs. John Ryan, W. G. Sindell, Harry Yelde, basses; and Mrs. Elizabeth Carpenter, organist and accompanist.

National Church.

Morning—Organ prelude, "Gesu Bambino" (Yon); anthem, "The Heavens Are Telling" (Haydn); anthem, "The Birthday of a King" (Neidlinger; organ postlude, "Hallelujah Chorus" (Handel).

The trio in "The Heavens Are Telling" will be sung by Nina Poizet, soprano; Henry Magnuson, barytone; and George Ross, tenor.

Evening service—Organ prelude, "The Holy Night" (Buck); soprano solo, "O Holy Night" (Adam; carol, "There's Born in Bethlehem's Manger" (traditional carol, arranged by Smith); carol, "Sleeps Judea Fair" (Mackinnon); old English carol, "I Hear Along Our Street" (Mackinnon); anthem, "Glory to God" (Marks); postlude, "Jubilate Deo" (Silver).

The soloists are Mrs. C. Malcom Scates, soprano; Mrs. Mabell C. Barrows, contralto. The choir is under the direction of George F. Ross, with Marguerite Allen Ross, organist.

11 a. m.—Organ, "Christmas" (Foote); quartet, "A Christmas Roundelay" (Mangetson); offertory, "In Dulci Jubilo" (Candlyn); chorus choir, "O, Come, Redeemer of Mankind" (West).

7:45 p. m.—Organ recital: (a) "Fantasia on Old Christmas Carols" (Faulkes); (b) "Noel" (Mulot); (c) "Gesu Bambino" (Yon).

8 p. m.—Christmas pageant, with choir assisting in singing of carols. Organ—"The First Noel," "It Came Upon the Midnight Clear," "Silent Night, Holy Night," on the chimes.

Catholic

Sacred Heart Church.

At the midnight mass at the Shrine of the Sacred Heart the program of music will be as follows: "Dixit Dominus" (Elsen); Kyrie and Gloria, Muller's "Mass in Honor of St. Benedict;" "Tecum Principium" (Mitterer); Credo (Muller); "Laetentur Coeli" (Mitterer); offertory motet, "Adeste Fideles" (Novello); Sanctus, Benedictus and Agnus Dei (Muller); "Tui Sunt Coeli" (Elsen). An attractive program of Christmas music will be sung during the half-hour preceding midnight mass, as well as during the communion which will follow the mass. The soloists will be Estelle Hunt Dean and Florence Brady, sopranos; Hazel Arth, contralto; Albert Liufrio and John Cullen, tenors; Joseph P. O'Lone, jr., barytone. Mary Louise Sullivan is organist and director.

St. James' Church, Mount Rainier.

Midnight mass will be celebrated by the Rev. R. Cotter Fitzgerald, assistant pastor. The mass will be preceded by "Songs of the Ages" (Geiber). A selection of the most popular Christmas carols will be sung by a mixed choir of 25 voices, which will be supported by violinists, Marion Meitzler and Margaret Smith.

The program: Procession: "Angels We Have Heard on High;" the proper of the Mass (A. Edmund Tozer); Joseph and John Bailey and male choir; "Kyrie" First Solemn Mass in "G" (Eduardo Marzo); "Gloria" and "Credo" (St. Cecilia) (Gounoud); "Sanctus" and "Benedictus" (St. Cecilia) (Gounod); "Agnus Dei (Georges Bizet), Mrs. Agnes Whalen and chorus; offertory "O Myra Nox" (Adams), Bernard Gerhardt; communion "Adeste Fideles" (Vincent Novello), quartet and chorus. Supplementary offertories: "Panis Angelious" Caesar Franck), Mary Vannemann; "Ave Maria" (Luigi Luzzi), Virginia Wooden.

Soloists—Agnes Whalen, Mary Vannemann, Cecilia Klein, sopranos; Virginia Wooden, alto; Bernard Gerhardt, bass; J. W. Robicheau, tenor.

The choir is under the direction of Charles J. Famosa, organist.

Other masses will be at 8 and 10 a. m. Benediction of the blessed sacrament after 10 o'clock mass. The Rev. J. Edward Malloy will be the celebrant.

Holy Rosary Church.

Christmas services at Holy Rosary Church, Third and F streets northwest, will begin with a solemn high mass at midnight. The Very Rev. M. Nardone, rector of Trinitarian College, will deliver the sermon.

The music program of the mass, under the direction of Eugenia Slattery, organist, will be as follows:

Processional, "Silent Night" (Gruber), Giovannina Milice; proper of mass, Tozer, "Missa Brevis," McGrath; offertory, "Adeste Fideles" (Gruber), Gilda Bonuccelli, Baldo Balducci, Eugenia Slattery, Joseph Marcellino; communion, "O Mira Nox" (Adams); chorus; "The Virgin's Slumber Song" (Max Rejer), Teresa Milice! "In Praecipio" (Nicola Montani), Giovannina Milice; recessional, "The Birthday of a King," chorus.

Soloists: Giovannina Milice, Gilda Bonuccelli, Teresa Milice, Joseph Marcellino, Baldo Balduoci. Low masses will be at 8 and 9 o'clock. At 10:30 there will be a high mass followed by the benediction of the blessed sacrament.

National Shrine, Catholic University.

Christmas Eve, 11:30 p. m., hymns: "Silent Night" (F. Gruber); "Angels We Have Heard On High" (Traditional); "Jesu Redemptor" (Pietro Yon); "In Nativitate Domini" (Schubinger, O. S. B.); Introit, "Dominus" (M. J. Vanden Elsen); "Kyrie" (W. A. Raboch); "Gloria" (W. A. Raboch); Gradual, "Tecum Principium" (M. J. Vanden Elsen); "Credo" (W. A. Raboch); offertory, "Laetentur Coeli" (M. J. Vanden Elsen); supplementary hymn, "Adeste Fideles" (Traditional); "Sanctus" (W. A. Raboch); "Benedictus" (W. A. Raboch); "Agnus Dei" (W. A. Raboch); Communion, "In Splendoribus" (M. J. Vanden Elsen); "O Holy Night," "The Snow Lay on the Ground."

Christian

National City Christian Church.

Morning service: Tower chimes, "Joy to the World" (Handel); "O Little Town of Bethlehem" (Redner); organ, "Adeste Fideles" (Loret); "Noel for the Flutes" (d'Aquin); "An Old Carol" (Goller); anthem, "Emmanuel" (Rossini); contralto solo, "An Old Sacred Lullaby," traditional, Helen M. Turley.

Tonight, 11:30 to 12:30. Opening, tower chimes, Robert Ruckman; carol, "O Come All Ye Faithful;" tenor solo, "Cantique de Noel" (Adam), Wilfred Smith, soloist of Church of the Covenant; carol, "It Came Upon the Midnight Clear;" tower chimes, "There's a Song in the Air," Robert Ruckman; carol, "Angels From the Realms of Glory;" contralto solo, "Sleeping the Christ Child Lay" (Hall), Mrs. Helen Turley, soloist of National City Church; carol, "The First Noel;" tower chimes, "Nazareth," Robert Ruckman; carol, "O Little Town of Bethlehem;" midnight, tower chimes strike hour of 12; carol, "Joy to the World, the Lord Is Come;" tenor solo, "Night of Nights" (Van de Water), Harvey Townsend, soloist of Gunton Temple Church; carol, "Hark the Herald Angels Sing;" tower chimes, "Away in a Manger," Robert Ruckman; carol, "As With Gladness, Men of Old;" carol, "Silent Night, Holy Night," Mrs. Helen Turley sings first verse as solo, every one sings second, third and fourth verses.

"The Golden Book," a pageant arranged and directed by Helen Turley, will be given Christmas Night at 7:45 o'clock.

Old and new Christmas carols will be sung by a male chorus. Selections from "The Messiah" will be sung by W. E. Braithwaite, Mrs. B. D. Shreve and Mrs. Helen Turley, members of the quartet. J. Horace Smithey, barytone, will sing "How Beautiful Upon the Mountains," by Harker. Virginia Sellars, who takes the part of the Virgin Mother, sings a "Magnificat," by Brackett, and Mrs. Cecile Littlefield brings a melody by Praetorius, "A Christmas Rose Is Blooming."

Columbia Heights Church.

The choir will render a program of Christmas music tomorrow morning, including a group of carols, a tenor solo by Thomas Russell and an anthem, "Sing, Oh, Sing" (Meskell), by the full church choir and quartet.

From 5:30 to 6:30 p. m. there will be a vesper service rendered by the junior choir, Mrs. H. B. Smith, director. The program will include "The First Noel" (old English), by the full chorus; a young ladies' sextet, and a young men's chorus.

Ninth Street Christian.

The Rev. Clifford H. Jope, pastor of the Ninth Street Christian Church, Ninth and D streets northeast, has chosen for his Sunday morning subject "The First Christmas Sermon." The junior choir will be led by Mrs. H. B. Douglas. Mrs. Mary E. Clarke will sing "Night of Nights," by Vandewater, and the choir will sing the anthem "The New-Born King."

The evening service will be given over to a musical program as follows: Trio, "O, Holy Night;" violin, Walter C. Silber; cello, Joseph Harrison, jr.; organ, Joseph Harrison. Solo, "The Infant Jesus," Mrs. T. R. Pirtle; duet, "O, Little Town of Bethlehem," Mrs. T. R. Pirtle and Miss Roberta Harrison. Choir anthems: "Behold, I Bring You Good Tidings," "Ring Out Ye Bells," "Hail Him King."

Episcopal

Washington Cathedral.

10:30 a. m.: Holy Communion and sermon; processional hymn, "Adeste Fideles;" Introit anthem, "On This, the Christmas Morn," J. Job; Communion service in E flat, A. J. Eyre; Hymn before sermon, "It Came Upon the Midnight Clear," R. S. Willis; Offertory Anthem, "Remember, O Thou Man," C. S. Lang; at presentation, "The Doxology," "Old Hundred;" after benediction, "Nunc Dimittis," J. Barnby; Recessional hymn, "Hark! the Herald Angels Sing," Mendelssohn.

4 p. m.: Choral evensong and chorals: Processional hymn, "Adeste Fideles;" Psalm 8, R. Woodward; "Magnificat" in A flat, Edgar Priest; Christmas carols, "Upon the Solemn Midnight Hour," words by the Right Rev. James E. Freeman, D. D., LL. D., music by Stanley R. Avery; "When Christ Was Born of Mary Free," "O Little Town of Bethlehem;" Bishop's greeting, "It Came Upon the Midnight Clear," "The First Noel the Angel Did Say," "Good Christian Men, Rejoice;" Offertory: "Cantique de Noel," Adolphe Adam; Benediction carol, "Sleeps Judea Fair," Hugh A. Mackinnon; Recessional hymn, "Once in Royal David's City," H. J. Gauntlett.

Trinity Church, Takoma Park.

The Rev. David Cartwright Clark, rector; Mr. Kenneth Frisbie, organist and director of choir.

Christmas Eve—11:30 p. m., organ prelude, "Chanson du Berger," Alexander Guilmant; congregational carol singing; 11:55 p. m., introit anthem, "The Shepherds' Christmas Song," Gavaert.

Christmas Day—12, midnight, candle light celebration of the Holy Communion (music, "The Communion Service in E Flat," A. J. Eyre); offertory anthem, "There Were Shepherds," Charles Vincent; organ postlude, "Noel Golonais," Alexander Guilmant.

11 a. m., celebration of the Holy Communion, Christmas sermon by the rector.

There will be a special Christmas service for children at 9:30 a. m.

St. Agnes' Church.

In addition to the regular Sunday services, St. Agnes' Church, 46 Q street northwest, is to have a midnight mass starting at exactly midnight tonight with the hymn, "It Came Upon the Midnight Clear."

Preceding the service, David William Martin will sing "Cantique Noel." The communion setting is to be Simper's Mass in E flat, this sung by the whole congregation, one of the unique features of St. Agnes', which has no choir, the music being passed out to the congregation at the door.

For the gradual hymn will be used "Once in Royal David's City." During the communion of the people there will be sung softly, "O Come, All Ye Faithful," "O Little Town of Bethlehem," and "Thou Didst Leave Thy Throne," after which, with the congregation still kneeling, will be sung, "Silent Night."

The final hymn will be "Hark the Herald Angels Sing." The organist is Louis Guzman, of the Marine Band, who will play the usual prelude and postlude.

CAPITAL CHOIRS.

A full page of pictures of some of the prominent Washington church choirs which will take part in Christmas services tomorrow is a feature of the rotogravure section of The Sunday Post.

Rock Creek Church.

Rock Creek Episcopal Church, Rock Creek Church road and Webster street, will hold its traditional Christmas Eve midnight service, beginning at 11:30 p. m. with the singing of carols, followed by a brief Christmas message by the rector, the Rev. Dr. Franklin J. Bohanan. The service will conclude at midnight with celebration of Holy Communion. The vested choir will offer the following musical program: "It Came Upon the Midnight Clear," R. S. Willis; "The First Noel," traditional melody; "Silent Night, Holy Night," F. Gruber; Communion service in E flat, Custance; "On This, the Christmas Morn," J. Job; "O Little Town of Bethlehem," L. H. Redner; "Hark! The Herald Angels Sing!" (Mendelssohn).

The Christmas Day services include celebration of Holy Communion at 7:30 and 11 a. m., with sermon at the latter service by the Rev. Dr. Franklin J. Bohanan. The vested choir, under the direction of Ruth Farmer Vanderlip, will present the following musical program at the 11 o'clock service: Organ prelude, "March of the Magi" (Dubois); processional, "O Come, All Ye Faithful," J. Reading; "Te Deum," Charles Edward Stephens; Communion service in E flat, Arthur F. M. Custance; hymn, "O Little Town of Bethlehem," L. H. Redner; offertory anthem, "Before the Heavens Were Spread Abroad," Horatio W. Parker; recessional, "Hark! The Herald Angels Sing!" (Mendelssohn).

Church of St. Stephen and the Incarnation.

The Rev. George F. Dudley, rector; the Rev. John F. Robertson, assistant.

Christmas Eve, 11:30 p. m.: Prelude, organ overture, "The Messiah (Handel); "Pastoral Symphony" (Handel), processional, "Hark, the Herald Angels Sing" (Mendelssohn), "Adeste Fideles" (Cantus Diversi), carols, "The First Noel" (Traditional); "O Little Town of Bethlehem" (Redner), introit, "Silent Night, Holy Night" (Gruber); "Kyrie Eleison," Mass in F (Marshall); collect, Feast of the Nativity; epistle, Hebrews 1:1; "Gloria Tibi," Mass in F (Marshall); gradual, gospel, St. John 1:1; "Gratias Tibi," Mass in F (Marshall); "Credo," Mass in F (Marshall); greeting, the rector; offertorium, "The First Christmas Morn" (Newton); offertory ascription. "The Doxology" (Old Hundred); "Sursum Corda," Mass in F (Marshall); "Sanctus," Mass in F (Marshall); "Benedictus qui Venit," Mass in F (Marshal; "Agnus Dei." Mass in F (Marshall); "Gloria in Excelsis" (Old Chant); ablution antiphon, "Therefore We Before Him Bending;" "Nunc Dimittis" (Stainer); recessional, "Angels From the Realms of Glory;" postlude, organ, "The Halleleujah Chorus" (Handel).

The service will be sung by the choir of men and boys, and the music will be repeated at 10:30 service on Christmas Day.

Church of the Ascension.

Christmas eve midnight and tomorrow, 11 a. m.: Organ prelude—(a) Chorale Prelude, In dulci jubilo (Bach), (b) Noel (Dubois); processional hymn, O come, all ye faithful (Adeste Fideles); Kyrie in E flat (Eyre); Gloria Tibi (Garrett); anthem, "Sing, O sing, this blessed morn" (Leslie); hymn, "It came upon the midnight clear" (Willis); offertory anthem, "Blessed be the Lord God" C. Lee Williams); Sursum Corda (Camidge); Sanctus in E flat (Eyre); Benedictus in E flat (Eyre); Agnus Dei in E flat (Eyre); Gloria in Excelsis (Old Chant); hymn, "Silent Night, Holy Night" (Gruber); recessional hymn, "Hark! the herald angels sing" (Mendelssohn); organ postlude, "March of the Magi" (Dubois).

Church of the Epiphany.

Adolf Torovsky, organist-choirmaster. Soloists, Lillian Latham, soprano; Nancy Williamson, contralto; Kroom Bagranoff, tenor; Ambrose Durkin, bass.

Christmas eve at 10:30, program of carols on the McKim Memorial Tower Chimes, played by Thomas G. Spence.

Christmas eve at 11, cantata, "The Christ Child," by Charles B. Hawley, choir of 40 voices. At midnight, service of Holy Communion, organ music only.

Christmas Day at 11 a. m. Processional hymn, "Hark! The Herald Angels Sing" (Mendelssohn), Communion service in E flat (Cruickshank), sermon hymn, 'O Little Town of Bethlehem" (Redner); offertory anthem, "Sing, O Heavens" (Tours); recessional hymn, "Angels From the Realms of Glory" (Smart). At the 8 p. m. service the offertory anthem will be "Christmas Bells," by Forsyth.

St. Margaret's Church.

On Christmas Day at 11 o'clock and the midnight preceding the following music will be sung by the double quartet and chorus, under the direction of Charlotte Klein:

Kyrie Eleison, Gloria Tibi (Garrett); anthem, "There were shepherds abiding in the field" (Myles B. Foster); Hark! the Herald Angels Sing" (Mendelssohn); carol, "Silent Night, Holy Night" (Traditional); anthem, "Before the heavens were spread abroad" (Horatio W. Parker); Sanctus (Peter C. Lutkin); Benedictus qui venit (Gounod); O little town of Bethlehem" (Redner); "It came upon the midnight clear" (Willis); Gloria in Excelsis (Traditional); "Shout the glad tidings, Messiah is King" (Charles Avison); organ, "In dulci jubilo" (Karg-Elert).

Personnel of solo quartets—Soprano, Caroline B. McDonnell, Mary A. Stevens; contralto, Vera Neeley Ross, Mrs. William Benham; tenor, Dr. George E. Anderson, John Nordberg; bass, Edgar Kidwell, Erbin G. Thomas.

St. Andrew's Church.

The choir of St. Andrew's Church, under the direction of Minnie H. Volkmann, soprano soloist, will have the following program tomorrow morning:

Processional hymn, "O Come All Ye Faithful" (Gloria Libi-Pleyel); sermon hymn, "Sing, O Sing, This Blessed Morn;" anthem. "There Were Shepherds" (Foster); Communion service (Gower); "Sevenfold Amen" (Stainer); recessional hymn, "Hark, the Herald Angels Sing." Lawrence Schiller, organist.

Church Of The Good Shepherd.

Midnight service Christmas Eve beginning at 11:30 p. m.: Processional Hymn, "It Came Upon The Midnight Clear" (Willis); shorter, "Kyries" (Tallis); "Gloria Tibi," in G (Calkin); Offertory Anthem, "Though Poor be The Chamber" (Gounod), barytone solo and chorus; "Sanctus," in G (Calkin); "Agnus Dei," in G (Calkin); "Gloria in Excelsis," in G (Calkin); Hymn after Benediction, "Silent Night, Holy Night" (Gruber); "Nunc Dimittis" (Chant); Recessional Hymn, "O Little Town of Bethlehem" (Redner).

Christmas Day, 11 a. m.: Processional Hymn, "O Come All Ye Faithful" (Reading); shorter, "Kyries" (Tallis); "Gloria Tibi," in G (Calkin); Hymn, "Hark the Herald Angels Sing" (Mendelssohn); Offertory Anthem, "Behold I Bring You Good Tidings" (Lynes); "Sanctus," in G (Calkin); "Agnus Dei," in G (Calkin); "Gloria in Excelsis," in G (Calkin); "Nunc Dimittis" (Chant); Recessional Hymn, "Angels From the Realms of Glory" (Smart). Also at both services Sixteenth Century Carols.

Grace Church.

The Rev. Meade Bolton MacBeyder, rector.

Eleven a. m.—Processional Hymn, (49) "Oh Come All Ye Faithful;" "Vinite," "Te Deum" (Hopkins); "Jubilate" (Dynks); Office Hymn, "It Came Upon The Midnight Clear;" shorter, "Kyries," "Gloria Tibi," Sermon Hymn, "O Little Town of Bethlehem;" Offertory solo, "Holy Night, Silent Night," Francis W. Hart, barytone; Festival Communion Service, Recessional Hymn, "Angels From the Realm of Glory."

Resurrection Chapel.

Christmas Day, 7:30 a. m., Carols and Holy Communion; 4 Evensong and Holy Baptism.

Christmas week, Tuesday, 10:30, Holy Communion (as usual); Tuesday 7:30 p. m. Sunday School Carol Service.

Nativity Chapel.

Christmas Eve Service, 11:30 p. m. Carols and Holy Communion.

Christmas Day (Sunday) 7:30 and 11 a. m., Holy Communion. 9:50 Carol Service and Holy Baptism; 8 Evensong and Christmas hymns.

Christmas week: 7 a. m., Holy Communion, Monday and Wednesday; 10:30 Thursday. Christmas School Carol Service and Christmas play by G. F. S., Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

Congregational

Mount Pleasant Church.

At the Mount Pleasant Congregational Church tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock the Mount Pleasant Chorus of 50 voices, assisted by the solo quartet, composed of Miss Elsie Schulz, soprano; Miss Mary Apple, contralto; William P. Shanahan, tenor, and Herman Fakler, bass, under the direction of Norton M. Little, with Claude Robeson at the organ, will present this special program:

Organ prelude, "Pastorale" (First Sonata), Guilmant; anthems, "Star of Bethlehem," Adams; "Holy Angels Singing," Russian (arranged by Dickinson); "Hallelujah Chorus," ("The Messiah"), Handel; bass solo, Herman Fakler, "The New Born King," L'Espoir; organ postlude, "The March of the Magi Kings," Dubois.

In the afternoon at 4:30 the chorus and solo quarter will present a Christmas carol service. This has become one of the outstanding services of the Christmas season. The carol service will be followed by a candle light procession and a song service, during which the following will be presented:

Anthems, "Adeste Fideles," Norvello; "There Were Shepherds," Vincent; "Stars in Chorus Holy," Schleider; contralto solo, "The Virgin's Lullaby," (Miss Mary Apple), Ruck; organ postlude, "Christmas March," Merkel.

First Church.

Special Christmas music will be rendered at both services at the First Congregational Church tomorrow, at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. The choir of 60 voices, under direction of Mrs. Ruby Smith Stahl, will sing, assisted by the quartet, Ruby Smith Stahl, soprano; Dorothy Wilson Halbach, contralto; Robert C. Giffen, tenor, and Dale Hamilton, bass-barytone. Paul DeLong Gable will be at the organ. The program of music follows:

Morning service — Organ prelude, "The Shepherd Pipes and the Star" (Stacherbatcheff); "March of the Magi Kings" (Dubois); anthems, "Glory to God in the Highest" (Stehle), "Welcome Yule" (Parry), "Lullay My Liking" (Holst), "All Knew He Was There" (Turner-Maley); offertory—organ, "Christmas Meditation" (Faulkes); choir, "Bring a Torch" (Ar. by Dickinson); organ postlude, "Cantique de Noel" (Adolph Adam).

Evening service — Organ prelude, "Noel" (Dudley Buck); anthems, "Glory and Honour and Laud" (Chares Wood), "The Virgin's Lullaby" (Reger), "Christmas Song" (Ar. by Damrosch); organ offertory, "I Heard the Bells on Christmas Day;" organ postlude, "Christmas March" (Merkel).

During the presentation of the pageant, "The Nativity," at 8 p. m., the choir will sing Christmas carols. The morning service will be broadcast over Station WOL.

Evangelical

Albright Memorial Church.

The Christmas music will be under the direction of Mrs. J. Patterson Perry, choir director, and Miss Mildred Brown, director of the children's choir.

The morning service at 10:45 o'clock will begin with the processional hymn, "Adeste Fideles," then will follow a number by the children's choir, "The Birthday of a King," by W. H. Neidlinger; an anthem by the adult choir, "There Were Shepherds," by Vincent, and a solo by Mrs. Roy T. Fowkes, "Cantinque de Noel," by Adolphe Adam.

The vesper service at 5 o'clock will be preceded by a brief recital of Christmas carols, sung by the children's choir. The candle light processional will begin at 5 o'clock and the processional hymn will be "Silent Night." The anthems will be "There Were Shepherds," by Lorenz, and "Chiming Bells," by Lorenz. Mrs. Lawrence Grimes will sing "Thou Blessed Bethelehem," by Vincent. The service will end with the choir singing "Rejoice, O Earth," by Lorenz, from the choir room.

Greek Orthodox

St. Sophia Church.

The church, at Eighth and L streets northwest, will celebrate the Christmas holidays as follows:

Midnight mass will be officiated by the minister of this church tonight, 11 p. m. to 1:15 a. m. and at 3:30 p. m. tomorrow will be celebrated the Christmas vespers. Officiating will be all the Orthodox priests of Washington, Russian, Greek and Syrian, each one using his own language. The ritual of this most ancient church is touching, magnificent and very interesting.

Presbyterian

New York Avenue.

Dorothy W. Fishbaugh, soprano; Ruth Kobbe, contralto; Arthur C. Gorbach, basso; Bernhard G. Spille, tenor; Paul W. Fishbaugh, organist and director, assisted by Elsa Louise Raner, violinist; Sigmund Ziebel, violin; Reginald Kassebaum, violin; Fritz Mueller, cello.

Morning — Prelude, "Morning" (Grieg); "Kammennoi Ostrow" (Rubinstein), "Ave Maria" (Bach-Gounod), organ and strings; anthem, "Behold, I Bring You Good Tidings" (Bartlett); offertory, "Extase" (Ganne), organ and strings; "Calm on the List'ning Ear of Night" (Harker), quartet, organ and strings; postlude, "Pilgrims' Chorus," from "Tannhauser" (Wagner).

Evening—Prelude, "Song Without Words" (Mendelssohn-Kreisler); "The Alpine Maid's Sunday" (Ole Bull); "The Old Refrain" (Kreisler), violin and organ; anthem, "Gesu Bambino" (Yon); solo, "Virgins' Lullaby" (the Coming of the King) (Buck), for contralto; offertory, "Intermezzo" (Rybner), violin and organ; anthem, "The Shepherds" (Hamer); postlude, "Preislied" (Wagner), violin and organ.

French services 4 p. m.

Opening number, "Or il y avait dans cette contree des bergers," Alexandre Westphal. Cantique, "Hosanna," Malan. Noels, "Entre le boeuf et l'ane gris," F. A. Gevaert; "La nuit est sombre," Daniel Courtois. Cantique, "Jesus Quitte son Trone" (Melchoir Vulpius, 1609); offertory, "Minuit, Chretians, c'e l'heure solonnelle" (Adolph Adam); Noel, "Voici Noel, O Douce Nuit;" postlude, "Marche des Rois" vieux Noel.

Soloists, Mrs. Albert W. Sherman, soprano; A. Harlen Castle, tenor; Miss Amelie Gayet, violinist. Chorus, Mesdames Bernard, Cunningham, Guilford, Misses Vanderkooj, Bare and Thomas, sopranos; Misses Baird and Pyne, altos; Mr. Dumond, bass. Organist and director, Mrs. G. L. Johnson.

Metropolitan Church.

The quartet, composed of Mrs. Gladys Snyder, soprano, guest soloist, of Philadelphia; Mrs. Mabel Bullough, contralto; Harold Snyder, tenor, guest soloist, of Philadelphia, and Oscar Kuldell, barytone, under the direction of Elsie Harvey Weaver, organist, will render the following anthems tomorrow:

"Rejoice, Ye Righteous," Lowden; "There Were Shepherds," Vincent; "O, Little Town of Bethlehem," Lowden. Contralto solos, Mrs. Bullough, "No Candles Was There Nor Fire," Lehman; "O, Holy Night," Adam.

Evening, 7:45 o'clock, the cantata, "The Holy Nativity," by Wildermere, will be rendered by Mrs. Ruby Zwinglas, soprano; Mrs. Mabel Bullough, contralto; Ellon Howe, tenor, and Oscar Kuldell, barytone.

Fourth Church.

The choir, under the direction of Newton T. Hammer, with Mrs. Chester W. Adair at the organ, will sing "Arise, Shine," by Maker, and "Jesu Bambino," by Yon, at the morning service.

At the evening service, the choir, assisted by the Metropolitan Male Quartet, will portray, in carol form, the Nativity of Christ. The following carols will be sung: "The First Noel," "While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks," "We Three Kings of Orient," "O Little Town of Bethlehem," "Luther's Cradle Hymn," "No Room for the Savior," "Sleep My Little Jesus," "Silent Night," and "Nazareth," and the anthem, "O Little Town of Bethlehem," by Neidlinger.

Sixth Church.

11 a. m.—Organ prelude, "In Dulci Jubilo" (Bach), "Christmas in Sicily" (Yon); processional, "Adeste Fidelis;" anthem, "Arise, Shine, for Thy Light Is Come" (Maker); anthem, "Glory to God in the Highest" (Pergolesi);

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NATIONAL EVANGELISTIC CENTER

Hear These Christmas Sermons
11:00—"Little Bethlehem."
7:30—"Star and Manger."
Special Music—Carols by Choir and Congregation.
The Tabernacle
North Capitol and K sts.
Rev. Harry L. Collier
S.S., 9:30; Y.P., 6:15
Tues., 7:45, S. S., Christmas Service.
Visitors to Washington and Public Welcome.

UNIVERSALIST.

UNIVERSALIST NATIONAL MEMORIAL CHURCH
Cor. 16th and S Sts. N.W.
REV. FREDERIC W. PERKINS, D.D.
10:15—Church School.
11:00—Service of Worship.
"WHY CHRISTMAS LIVES"
Choral arrangements of ancient carols will constitute the Christmas music.
NATIONAL CAPITAL CHOIR
ALBERT W. HARNED, Mus. D.

BRETHREN.

CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN
4th St. and North Carolina Ave. S.E.
Rev. F. F. Holsopple, D. D., Minister.
Christmas Services
11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m.
The Men's Chorus Will Sing.
New Year's Day
11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m.
The Choir Will Lead.
The Young People will have charge of the evening services on both dates.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.

Christian Science
Churches of Christ, Scientist, Branches of The Mother Church,
The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.
First Church of Christ, Scientist, Columbia rd. and Euclid st.
Second Church of Christ, Scientist, 111 C st. ne.
Third Church of Christ, Scientist, 13th and L sts. nw.
Fourth Church of Christ, Scientist, 16th and Meridian sts. nw.
SUBJECT:
"CHRISTIAN SCIENCE"
SERVICES:
SUNDAY—11 a. m. and 8 p. m.
SUNDAY SCHOOL—11 a. m.
WEDNESDAY EVENING MEETINGS, 8 O'CLOCK.
READING ROOMS:
FIRST CHURCH, 730 17th st. nw. Hours, 9 to 9 (except Wednesdays, 9 to 7, and Sundays and holidays, 2:30 to 5:30).
SECOND CHURCH, 111 C st. ne. Hours, 1:30 to 5:30 week days; closed Sundays and holidays.
THIRD CHURCH, Colorado Bldg., 14th and G sts. Hours, 9:30 to 9 (except Wednesdays, 9:30 to 7:30; Sundays and holidays, 2:30 to 5:30).
FOURTH CHURCH, Tivoli Bldg., 3313 14th st. Hours, 9:30 to 9, week days (except Wednesdays, 9:30 to 7:30; Sundays and holidays, 2:30 to 5 p. m.).
All are welcome to attend our church services and use our reading rooms.

BAPTIST

FIFTH E near 7th sw.
11 a. m.—Dr. J. E. Briggs will preach on "The Angels' Message to a Sin-Sick World."
7:40 p. m.—A Christmas cantata, "The Coming of the King," by augmented choir, directed by J. Humbird Duffy.
Why not remember your church at Christmas?
Merry Christmas to You!

WEST WASHINGTON
31st and N sts. nw.
CHARLES B. AUSTIN, Pastor.
Dec. 25, 8 P. M., White Christmas Pageant Entitled:
"PRISCILLA'S DREAM"
11:00 a. m.—Sermon by the Pastor.

METROPOLITAN
Sixth and A Sts. N.E.
JOHN COMPTON BALL, Pastor.
11 a. m.—"When Jesus Came."
7:45 p. m.—Songs and Sermon Around the Lighted Tree.
Hundreds of Colored Lights.
FOLLOW THE CROWD TO METROPOLITAN.

BAPTIST.

Calvary 8th & H Sts. N.W.
W. S. Abernethy, Minister
11:00 a. m.—"THE GIFT UNSPEAKABLE."
7:45 p. m.—Organ Recital.
8:00 p. m.—Pageant—"THE HOLY GRAIL."
Mr. Bradford S. Abernethy Will Be the Reader.
11:00 a. m.—Junior Church. "THE KING'S BIRTHDAY."
The Rev. Philip G. Murray Will Preach.
9:30—Sunday School. 6:45—Young People's Groups.

Presbyterian

NEW YORK AVENUE PRESBYTERIAN
13th & H & N. Y. Ave.
Ministers
DR. JOSEPH R. SIZOO
DR. ALBERT EVANS
11:00 A. M., "God's Gift—1932."
8:00 P. M., "The Coming Man."
(At both services special musical programs will be rendered in observance of Christmas.)

COVENANT-FIRST
Connecticut Ave. at 18th and N Sts. N.W.
Dr. Albert Joseph McCartney *Minister*
Rev. J. Woodman Babbitt, *Assistant Minister*
Subject:
THE CHANGING WORLD AND THE UNCHANGING CHRIST
Dr. McCartney Preaching
SPECIAL MUSICAL PROGRAM AT 11 A. M.

CENTRAL PRESBYTERIAN
Organized 1868.
Southern General Assembly.
Intersection of 15th and 16th and Irving sts. nw.
Rev. JAMES H. TAYLOR, D. D., Pastor.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship. Sermon by Dr. Taylor.
5:00 p. m. — Westminster League.
7:00 p. m.—"The Christmas Story." by Dr. Taylor.
Take 14th st. car or Mt. Pleasant car or 16th st. bus to Irving st. nw.

SERVICES FRANCAIS
New York Avenue Church
13th and H sts.
Sermon les dimanches a 4 heures par M. FRANK LIOTARD.
Demain, programme special de cantiques et Noels.

Church of the Pilgrims
On the Parkway.
At 22d and P Sts. N.W.
Rev. ANDREW REID BIRD, Minister.
Divine Worship at 11 A. M. and 7:45 P. M.
Services conducted by the minister.
ORGAN RECITAL, 7:30 p. m.
A Cordial Welcome to All.

GUNTON-TEMPLE
16th and Newton Sts.
Rev. Bernard Braskamp, D.D., Pastor.
9:45 a. m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a. m.—Sermon by Dr. Braskamp,
"The Christmas Spirit"
Music by Chorus Choir.
Mrs. CLARA BERNHEIMER, Soloist.
Midweek Service, Thursday, 8 p. m.

SIXTH PRESBYTERIAN
16th and Kennedy Sts. nw.
Rev. GODFREY CHOBOT, Pastor.
11:00 a. m.—"God's Kindness."
8:00 p. m.—Christmas Carol Service. Carols of Various Nations Will Be Sung by Choir.
Visitors Always Welcome.

Washington Heights
Kalorama and Columbia Rds.,
Rev. John C. Palmer, D. D., Minister.
9:45 a. m.—Christmas service for the Sunday School.
11:00 a. m.—Christmas service for the church. Sermon by Dr. Palmer, "Gifts Born With Christ at Bethlehem."
7:00 p. m.—C. E. Societies.
8:00 p. m.—Carol singing, with sermon by Dr. Palmer, "If the Christmas Story Came as a Surprise!"
Special Christmas music, Mr. George Myers, tenor; Miss Louise Rose Palmer, soprano; Mr. Paul Meininger, violinist; Mrs. J. Harry Cunningham, organist.

Episcopal

WASHINGTON CATHEDRAL
Massachusetts and Wisconsin Avenues and Woodley Road
CHRISTMAS DAY—Sunday, December 25
Holy Communion 7:30 and 9:30 a. m.
Festival Service, Holy Communion and Sermon. Preacher, The Bishop of Washington 10:30 a. m.
Festival Evensong, Christmas Carols and Bishop's Greeting 4:00 p. m.
The services at 10:30 a. m. and 4 p. m. will be in the Great Choir; at 7:30 and 9:30 a. m. in the Bethlehem Chapel.

The Church of The Epiphany
1317 G St. N.W.
REV. Z. B. PHILLIPS, D. D., LL. D.
REV. ALVIN LAMAR WILLS, M. A.
CHRISTMAS EVE
10:30 p. m.—Christmas Carols on the Chimes.
11:00 p. m.—Christmas Cantata, "The Christ Child," Epiphany Church Choir.
12:00—Midnight celebration of the Holy Communion.
CHRISTMAS DAY
8:00 a. m.—Holy Communion.
11:00 a. m.—Holy Communion and Sermon by the Rector.
8:00 p. m.—Evening Service and Address.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH
LAFAYETTE SQUARE
CHRISTMAS DAY
8:00 a. m.—Holy Communion.
11:00 a. m.—Holy Communion and Sermon. Dr. Johnston will preach.
St. John's Day, Dec. 27th
2:45 p. m.—Children's Carol Service.

The Good Shepherd
Sixth st. ne., between H and I
Rev. CORNELIUS ABBOTT, Vicar
CHRISTMAS SERVICES
Christmas Eve., Dec. 24, 11:30 p. m., Midnight celebration of the Holy Communion.
Choir of 30 boys and men
CHRISTMAS DAY, December 25
8:00 a. m.—Holy Communion
11:00 a. m.—Holy Communion, Festal Service.
Choir of 30 boys and men

ST. STEPHENS AND THE INCARNATION
Sixteenth at Newton NW.
Rev. George F. Dudley, D. D., Rector.
Rev. John F. Robertson, Assistant.
CHRISTMAS SERVICES
Christmas Eve, 11:30 p. m., Holy Communion. With full choir, soloists, carols.
Organ recital with Christmas music at 11:15 p. m.
Christmas Day:
Holy Communion .... 7:30 a. m.
Holy Communion .... 10:30 a. m.
Choral with sermon by the rector.
Monday—St. Stephen's Day:
Holy Communion .... 9:30 a. m.
Tuesday, healing service.... 8:00 p. m.
Thursday, Holy Communion. 9:30 a. m.
Children's Christmas Play.. 7:30 p. m.
All Seats Free. Everybody Welcome.

ST. LUKE'S
15th St. and Church St. N.W.
REV. T. J. BROWN, Rector.
Sunday, December 25th
CHRISTMAS DAY
7:00 a. m.—Holy Communion.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a. m.—Morning Prayer, Sermon and Holy Communion.
5:00 p. m.—Carol Service by Sunday School and Choir.

ST. JAMES CHURCH
8th st. ne., bet. B and C sts.
Rev. George W. Atkinson, D. D., Rector.
Midnight Solemn High Mass with Procession.
CHRISTMAS DAY SERVICES:
7:30 and 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

ST. AGNES' CHURCH
46 Que Street Northwest.
(Fla. Ave. or N. Capitol St. Cars.)
Sunday services, 7 and 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday School, 9:30 a. m. Daily mass, 7 p. m. Evensong and Intercession, Friday, 8 p. m.
Christmas Day.
12:00 (midnight), Solemn Festival Mass.
7:00 a. m., Low Mass.
11:00 a. m., Solemn Mass with Sermon.
8:00 p. m., Solemn Evensong, Carols and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.
MONDAY, DEC. 26.
ST. STEPHEN
7:00 a. m., Mass.
9:30 a. m., Mass.
TUESDAY, DEC. 27.
ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST
7:00 a. m., Mass.
9:30 a. m., Mass.
WEDNESDAY, DEC. 28.
7:00 a. m., Mass.
9:30 a. m., Mass.
7:00 p. m., Children's Christmas Party.

ST. ANDREW'S V AND NEW HAMPSHIRE
The Rev. A. J. Wilder, S.T.B., Rector.
CHRISTMAS FESTIVAL
SERVICES—8 a. m. and 11 a. m. Sermon, "Christ Is Born," by Rector. The Children's Celebration, 9:30 a. m.

ROCK CREEK PARISH
ST. PAUL'S
Rock Creek Church rd. and Webster st.
Rev. F. J. BOHANAN, D. D., Rector.
11:30 p. m., Christmas Eve.
7:30 and 11 a. m., Christmas Day.

ST. MARGARET'S
Conn. Ave. and Bancroft Place.
Rev. HERBERT SCOTT SMITH, D. D., Rector.
CHRISTMAS EVE
4:00 p. m.—Children's Service, followed by singing of Old English carols around the tree.
CHRISTMAS DAY
12:00 (midnight)—Holy Communion, full choir.
9:30 a. m.—Holy Communion, plain.
11:00 a. m.—Festival Celebration of Holy Communion, with sermon. The Rector will preach. Theme, "The Well at the Gate, a Christmas Meditation."
Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, St. Stephen's, St. John's and Holy Innocents' Days, Holy Communion at 11 a. m.
Organist and Choir Director, Charlotte Klein, F. A. G. O.

ST. ALBAN'S PARISH
ST. ALBAN'S CHURCH
Christmas Eve—11:00, carols.
Christmas Eve—11:30, The Holy Communion.
Christmas Day—7:45 a. m., The Holy Communion.
Christmas Day—11:00 a. m., The Holy Communion and Sermon.
ST. DAVID'S
(Conduit Road)
Christmas Eve, 11:30—The Holy Communion
Christmas Day, 8:00 a. m.—The Holy Communion.
ST. PATRICK'S
(Foxhall and Reservoir Rds.)
Christmas Day, 10 a. m.—The Holy Communion and Sermon.

TRINITY TAKOMA PARK.
Piney Branch Rd. and Dahlia St.
Rev. David Cartwright Clark Rector.
11:30 p. m., Dec. 24, Midnight Service, Candlelight Celebration Holy Communion.
9:30 a. m., Christmas Day—Church School Service.
11:00 a. m.—Holy Communion and Sermon by the Rector.

THE NATIVITY Mass. ave. & A st. se.
Christmas Eve., 11:30 p. m. Christmas Day, 7:30, 10, 11, 8. Church School, Carol Service and G. F. S. Play, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.
THE RESURRECTION, 7:30, 4:00. S. S. Carol Service, Tues., 7:30 p. m. New Year's Party, Nativity, Jan. 3, 8:00 p. m.

Elaborate Festival Rites Arranged in Washington Churches to Observe Christmas

NATIVITY SERVICES SET AT CATHEDRAL

Bishop Freeman Will Preach at Festival Ceremony in Morning.

Christmas Day will be celebrated at Washington Cathedral with special services and joyful music commemorating the Holy Nativity, according to an announcement by Bishop James Edward Freeman. A cordial invitation is extended to holiday visitors to Washington and local residents to include a service at the cathedral in their observance of Christmas.

There will be celebrations of the Holy Communion in the crypt chapels at 7:30 and 9:30 o'clock, followed by a festival service at 10:30 o'clock in the great choir with Bishop Freeman delivering the sermon. Among the selections to be rendered by the cathedral choir of men and boys, under the direction of Mr. Edgar Priest, will be the offertory anthem, "Remember, O Thou Man," with words from Ravenscroft's Milesmata, written in 1611.

Choral evensong will be conducted by the Rev. Dr. William L. De Vries, canon precentor of the cathedral, beginning at 4 o'clock in the great choir, with a program of popular carols interspersed with familiar Christmas hymns in which the congregation will join. Among those to be sung are "Oh, Come All Ye Faithful," "Oh, Little Town of Bethlehem," "It Came Upon the Midnight Clear," "When Christ Was Born to Mary Free," "The First Nowell, the Angel Did Say," "Good Christian Men Rejoice" and "Once in Royal David's City."

A feature of the evensong service will be the singing for the first time of a new Christmas carol, "Upon the Solemn Midnight Hour," written by Bishop Freeman and set to music by Stanley R. Avery. The benediction carol before the recessional hymn will be "Sleeps Judea Fair," by Hugh A. Mackinnon.

For the first time in nearly ten years the annual carol service from the cathedral will not be broadcast over the radio. Preparations are being made to welcome unusually large congregations at the services. There will be opportunity for out-of-town visitors to make a pilgrimage through the cathedral and the crypt chapels immediately following the 10:30 a. m. and 4 p. m. services.

Following the custom of the last twenty years, the members of the boy choir will render evensong at 4 o'clock on Christmas Eve in the Bethlehem Chapel of the Holy Nativity.

On Sunday afternoon, January 8, the cathedral choir will render the Christmas cantata, "The Story of Bethlehem," by John E. West, in place of the evensong service.

Covenant-First Plans Services

Carols Will Be Sung Tomorrow; Brief Sermon

"The Changing World and the Unchanging Christ" will be the topic of a brief sermon with which Dr. McCartney will conclude the service of praise in celebration of the birth of our Lord at the Covenant-First Presbyterian Church tomorrow morning. Christmas carols sung by the quartet will precede the hour of service and those desiring to hear these carols are invited to come at 10 minutes before 11 o'clock. The entire musical program is appropriate to the general theme of Christmas.

The decorations for the church are the gift of Mrs. Thomas N. McLaughlin, who has established an endowment for this purpose to be carried on from year to year in memory of her family. On New Year's Day, Dr. McCartney announces his theme in advance as "The Story of the Lost Prisoner."

Inasmuch as Sunday falls on New Year's Day the customary gathering of the congregation which for forty years has taken place on New Year's morning, will be held on Thursday evening instead.

Christian Science Churches

"Christian Science" is the subject of the lesson-sermon in all the Churches of Christ, Scientist, tomorrow. The golden text is from Psalms 119:105: "Thy word is a lamp unto my feet, and a light unto my path." Among the citations which comprise the lesson-sermon is the following from the Bible: "Blessed art thou, O Lord: Teach me they statutes. I will meditate in thy precepts, and have respect unto thy ways. Open thou mine eyes, that I may behold wondrous things out of thy law." (Psalms 119:12, 15, 18).

The lesson-sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "In the year 1866, I discovered the Christ Science or divine laws of life, truth and love, and named my discovery Christian Science. God had been graciously preparing me during many years for the reception of this final revelation of the absolute, divine principle of scientific mental healing. 'This apodictical principle points to the revelation of Immanuel 'God with us—the sovereign ever-presence, delivering the children of men from every ill 'that flesh is heir to.'" (page 106).

"God's Kindness," Sermon.

Tomorrow morning at the Sixth Presbyterian Church the pastor, the Rev. Godfrey Chobot, will preach a Christmas sermon on "God's Kindness." The special Christmas carol service will be held tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock under the direction of Mrs. Muriel Day. Thursday evening the senior department of the Sunday school will hold their Christmas entertainment in the chapel.

UNITARIAN.

All Souls' Church
Sixteenth and Harvard Streets
Minister,
ULYSSES G. B. PIERCE, D. D.

9:45 a. m.—Church School Informal Session.
11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship.
"The Continuing Christmas."
5:00 p. m.—Program of Christmas Music.
5:30 p. m.—Christmas Miscellany. Mrs. Grace Wormelle.
7:30 p. m.—Motion Picture Hour—"Tragedy of Mount Everest." Preceded by one-act play, "Dust of the Road."

Elaborate Services Set At Franciscan Monastery

After several days of extensive decoration with laurel and greens and hundreds of flickering lights encircling the walls of the church, the Franciscan Monastery will solemnly open the Christmas season this evening with the chanting of Matins by the community at 10:45, with the intonation of: "Christ Is Born Unto Us; Come, Let Us Adore Him." Following the chanting of the divine office the midnight solemn high mass will be celebrated for the benefactors of the monastery. The monastery choir will render Magri's mass: "A Child Is Born to Us." The gradual will be a falsobordone composition by the organist, Prof. G. H. Wells, and the offertory will be the "Laetentur Coeli of Reyl. During the distribution of Holy Communion the choir will interpret Piel's "Domine Non Sum Dignus" and Klein's "Resonet in Laudibus."

Following the midnight mass the community will accompany the officiating ministers in procession to the Grotto of Bethlehem, an exact copy of the original shrine in Palestine, where the gospel announcing the birth of the New-born King will be chanted. At the words: "And They Laid Him in the Manger" the Infant will be placed in the manger and the service will be brought to a close by the intoning of the angels message of glad tidings: "Glory to God on High and on Earth Peace to Men of Good Will." After the midnight services low masses will follow at the Altar of the Nativity and hourly from 8 to 9 a. m.

The second solemn high mass will take place at 9 a. m., at which the choir will sing Botazzo's mass: "In Honor of the Stigmata of St. Francis." The proper parts of the mass will be sung in Gregorian, while the offertory "Tui Sunt Coeli" will be that of Reyl. In the afternoon at 3:30 o'clock there will be a program of Christmas carols, comprising Yon's "Jesu Bambino," Melvil's "Christus Natus Est Nobis," the traditional "Adeste Fideles," and "Star of Hope," by R. Dolphin, after which there will be solemn benediction.

A huge Christmas tree, sparkling with hundreds of colored lights, will be illuminated every night up to and including January 8

Church Arranges Midnight Rites

Programs Announced for Rock Creek Church and Holy Comforter.

Rock Creek Episcopal Church, Rock Creek Church road and Webster street, will hold a midnight Christmas carol service tonight, beginning at 11:30, followed by celebration of Holy Communion at midnight. The vested choir will present a special musical program and a brief Christmas message will be delivered by the rector, the Rev. Dr. Franklin J. Bohanan.

The services tomorrow include celebrations of Holy Communion at 7:30 and 11 a. m. with sermon at the latter service by Dr. Bohanan. A special program of Christmas music will be offered by the choir at the 11 o'clock service under the direction of Ruth Farmer Vanderlip, choir director.

Observance of Christmas at Holy Comforter Chapel, Rock Creek Parish, 5714 Georgia avenue, begins tonight with a Christmas carol service at 11 o'clock, followed at midnight with celebration of Holy Communion. The chapel services tomorrow include celebrations of Holy Communion at 7:30 and 11 a. m. with sermon at the latter service by the Rev. William L. Mayo, and evening prayer and address at 7:30 p. m.

Dr. Taylor to Preach On "Gift of a Saviour"

Tomorrow morning at the Central Presbyterian Church the pastor, Dr. James H. Taylor, will preach on "The Gift of a Savoiur." At the evening service Dr. Taylor will tell the Christmas story to the young people and children of the congregation. At this service the young people's chorus, led by Mrs. R. W. Prince, will sing the Christmas songs, "Silent Night, Holy Night," "O Little Town of Bethlehem," and "Away In a Manger."

It has been customary for a number of years for the pastor to tell the Christmas story, and the service will be not only for the young people and children, but also for all the members of the congregation and friends.

Church of Brethren Plans for Christmas

The music for Christmas morning service will be sponsored by the Men's Chorus of the church. D. F. King is the leader. Dr. Holsoppple, the pastor, will preach a sequel to his last sermon, "The Son of Man," entitled "The Son of God."

The evening service at 8 o'clock will be conducted by the young people of the church as will also the New Year's evening service. The evening service on Christmas Day will be under the direction of the Sunday School classes.

Christmas Service Rendered in French

"Que ferons-nous de cet enfant?" will be the subject of the sermon by Frank Liotard at the French services at the New York Avenue Presbyterian Church tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock. The choir, under the direction of Mrs. G. L. Johnson, will give a special program, including Adam's famous "Cantique de Noel," sung by Harlen Castle, and some French Christmas songs known as "Noels."

St. Stephen and the Incarnation.

For the first time, the full vested choir will sing at the Holy Communion service Saturday night. It will begin at 11:30 p. m. instead of midnight, as in former years. There will be a short organ recital beginning at 11:15 p. m. by the Rev. John F. Robertson, organist and master of the choristers. The other services are children's carol service, Saturday at 4 p. m.; Holy Communion, Christmas Day at 7:30 a. m. and 10:30 a. m. The evening service will be omitted. The children's Christmas treat will be held on Thursday, the 29th, at 7:30 p. m.

"Christmas Star," Sermon Topic.

At the West Washington Baptist Church, Sunday, 11 a. m., sermon by the pastor, the Rev. Charles B. Austin, topic: "Under the Christmas Star." This evening the church and school, under the supervision of our Sunday school superintendent, Robert L. Haycock, will hold its eighth annual white Christmas pageant. An elaborate program entitled "Priscilla's Dream" will be presented.

CONGREGATIONAL.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
10th and G Streets N.W.
ALLEN A. STOCKDALE, D. D., Minister
11:00 a. m.—Dr. Stockdale preaches on "The Christmas Mind."
9:00 p. m.—Pageant, "The Nativity." Watch-Night Service, Dec. 31, 11:15 to 12.

CHRISTMAS DAY
At
MT. PLEASANT CHURCH
10:00 a. m.—"The Christmas Story." A drama by the Church School.
11:00 a. m.—Service of Worship.
"The Eternal Christmas"
By Rev. RUSSELL J. CLINCHY.
4:30 p. m., Carol Service
Chorus of Fifty Voices.
Columbia Road at 14th St.

Chapel to Observe 29th Anniversary

Christmas Programs Arranged by Nativity and Resurrection Groups.

The Nativity Chapel is observing its twenty-ninth anniversary this Christmas festival. The work was started on the site of the present Eastern High School at the Christmas season, 1903, by the present vicar, the Rev. Enoch M. Thompson.

During these years the congregation has come to number 700 communicants. In the congregation is included the Chapel of the Resurrection, at Fifteenth and Gales streets northeast, which was started five years later by the same workers. The two Sunday schools number 300 members.

Christmas music will be directed by Howard Samsel, with Miss Lucie Heard at the organ. The first service will be at midnight, starting at 11:30 p. m. Christmas Eve. The Sunday services at 7:30 and 11 a. m. will have Holy Communion and Christmas music. At 8 p. m. there will be carols and evensong.

'Continuing Christmas,' Sermon by Dr. Pierce

"Everywhere Christmas"—at All Souls' Unitarian Church, Sixteenth and Harvard streets, as elsewhere. There will be no formal session of the Church school, but informal carol singing for those who wish to come.

Baskets will be distributed today to the twelve families for which contributions were made at the Christmas service of the school last Sunday morning. At the 11 a. m. service the minister, the Rev. Dr. Ulysses G. B. Pierce, will preach on the subject, "The Continuing Christmas." In the afternoon at 5 o'clock the organist, Lewis Atwater, will play a program of Christmas music. This will be followed at 5:30 by a program of Christmas readings by Mrs. Grace Wormelle.

Services Tomorrow

Eastern Presbyterian Church will observe Christmas at 11 a. m. with a sermon on "Gifts" by the pastor, Dr. Alfred E. Barrows, and special music. At 6:30 p. m., the Sunday school will present a Christmas pageant and have the White Gift offering.

The Christmas Sunrise Service, under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Societies of Luther Place Memorial Church, will be held at 7:30 a. m. There will be no evening service. At the 11 a. m. service, the Rev. Carl C. Rasmussen will preach.

The Rev. Edward O. Clark will conduct the 7:30 a. m. and the 11 a. m. services at Chevy Chase Baptist Church. At 8 p. m. the church choir will give a program under the direction of T. W. Norcross.

At the National City Christian Church the pastor, Dr. H. H. Harmon, will preach at the 11 a. m. service. There will be a prelude of Christmas carols on the tower chimes and the organ. Sunday evening the pageant, "The Golden Book," will be given by the church school.

At Concordia Lutheran Church, of which the Rev. Charles Enders is pastor, there will be an English service at 6:30 a. m. The German service will be at 10 a. m. and will be followed by a communion service. The Bible school will sing a cantata at 7 p. m..

The Rev. J. L. S. Halloman, the pastor, will preach at both services at the Second Baptist Church.

At Columbia Heights Christian Church, the Rev. Harvey Baker Smith, the pastor, will preach at 11 a. m. on "Christmas Voices."

"Good Tidings" is the subject chosen by Dr. Vernon N. Ridgely for the Christmas sermon at Calvary Methodist Church.

At Transfiguration Christian Episcopal Church, 1419 Gallatin street northwest, services will be held at midnight tonight and at 7:30 and at 11 a. m. Christmas morning. The rector, the Rev. J. J. Queally, will officiate. The senior choir will sing at the midnight service and the junior choir at the 11 a. m. service.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL SOUTH

MOUNT VERNON PLACE
Southern Methodism's Representative Church. Mass. Ave. at 9th st. nw.
FORNEY HUTCHINSON, D. D., Pastor.
11 a. m.—"The Holy Family."
8 p. m.—"Dawn in the Desert."
A Christmas Oratorio, by Rossi. Edward Mitchell and R. Deane Shure.

FRANCIS ASBURY
16th near Lamont st. nw.
The Rev. F. C. BEERY, Pastor.
11:00 a. m.—"The Manger and the Inn."
8:00 p. m.—"His Name."
9:30 a. m.—Sunday School.
Thursday, 8 p. m., Prayer Service. Music, Francis Asbury Quartet.

EPWORTH
14th st. and North Carolina ave. ne.
Rev. John C. Copenhaver, D. D., Pastor.
11:00 a. m.—"HE THAT IS BORN KING."
7:30 p. m.—Candle Light Carol Service.
CORDIAL WELCOME TO ALL.

125 VOICES IN CHOIR TO SING AT SHRINE

Sacred Music Offered at Midnight Mass at Catholic University.

At the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception, at the Catholic University of America, the annual Christmas midnight mass will be sung tonight, preceded by a half hour of sacred music, accompanying a choir of 125 male voices.

A notable feature of this year's celebration will be the use of the new organ which has been highly praised by those competent to judge.

The music will begin at 11:30 p. m. and the reservations, secured by tickets, will not be promised after that time. The tickets are gratis and may be obtained at the National Shrine.

The solemn mass will be sung by the director of the National Shrine, the Right Rev. Mgr. Bernard A. McKenna, assisted by the Rev. Father Flores as deacon and the Rev. Father Tagle as subdeacon. The master of ceremonies and the other ministers of the mass will be the students from the Sulpician Seminary.

The sermon will be delivered by a Dominican father. Several other priests will assist in giving Holy Communion at the mass.

The Christmas spirit at midnight mass will be enhanced by the familiar hymns, "Adeste Fidelis," "Silent Night," "Angels We Have Heard" and "O Holy Night."

Yule Services Planned By Gospel Tabernacle

Special Christmas services will be held tomorrow at the Full Gospel Tabernacle, North Capitol and K streets, when the pastor, the Rev. Harry L. Collier, will preach at 11 a. m. on "Little Bethlehem," and at the musical-evangelistic service at 7:30 p. m. on "Star and Manger." The Sunday school will meet at 9:30 a. m. and the Young Crusaders at 6:15 p. m. The Sunday school and church will unite in the midweek Christmas service Tuesday at 7:45 p. m.

The pastor accompanied by the choir and orchestra will go to Cedarville, Md., Thursday, 7:45 p. m., to assist in the anniversary program of the Full Gospel Assembly there. The annual New Year's Day convocation and fellowship service will be held on Monday, January 2.

Super-Mind Science Lectures.

Prof. William Estep, founder of Super-Mind Science Churches of America, announces a special Christmas program of lectures. This is his second series, based on Super-Mind Science, a new psychological religion. The subjects are: Tonight at 8 o'clock, "The Astral Plane;" Christmas Day, 3 p. m., "The Three Wise Men;" 8 p. m., "The Truth About Jesus." Motion pictures of the Holy Land will be shown. All lectures are to be given at the Burlington Hotel.

Christmas at St. Margaret's.

Holy communion will be celebrated on Christmas Eve at midnight, 9:30 and 11 o'clock. The midnight and 11 o'clock services will be festival, with full choir. At 11 o'clock the rector, Dr. Smith, will preach. Theme: "The Well at the Gate: A Christmas Meditation." On Christmas Eve at 4 o'clock the church school will have its service in the church with music by the junior choir. Old English carols will be sung around the tree in the parish house.

Candle Light Service at Epworth.

The Christmas sermon of Dr. John C. Copenhaver, pastor of Epworth Methodist Episcopal Church, will be given at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning the subject of which will be "He That Is Born King." The annual candle light carol service which will be participated in by both the senior and junior choirs of the church will be the feature of the Sunday evening service at 7:30 o'clock.

"Message of Angels," Topic.

Dr. John E. Briggs will preach tomorrow morning at Fifth Baptist Church on "The Message of the Angels to a Sin-Sick World." At night the augmented choir will render Buck's Christmas cantata, "The Coming of the King," under the direction of Prof. J. Humbird Duffy. Dr. Ray Palmer will teach the Darlington Bera Bible Class, and Deacon Walter Price the Baraca Class for Men.

Christmas at St. Mary's.

The celebration of Christmas at St. Mary's Church will begin with a solemn high mass at midnight. The Rev. Augustine J. Aylward, of the Redemptorist Fathers, will preach the sermon. During the morning there will be low masses at 7 and 8:15; high mass, followed by benediction, at 9:30; last low mass at 11:30.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL

TRINITY
Penn. Ave. and Fifth St. S.E.
Dan I. Ennis, D. D., Minister.
11:00 a. m.—"Immanuel."
8:00 p. m.—"The Way to Bethlehem."
Special Music by Quartet, Chorus, and Children's Choir under direction of Mr. Guy Skinner.

FOUNDRY
16th St. NW., near P St.
Frederick Brown Harris, D. D., Minister.
Vested Choir Under Direction of Justin Lawrie.
11:00 a. m.—Christmas sermon by Bishop Edwin Holt Hughes, D. D., LL. D.
8:00 p. m.—Dr. Harris will tell the story of "The Birthday of Hope."

OTHER SERVICES.

4 FREE LECTURES
BY PROF. WM. ESTEP
Founder of Super Mind Science Church; Author: Eternal Wisdom and Health.
TONIGHT at 8 o'Clock
"THE ASTRAL PLANE"
CHRISTMAS DAY
3 p. m., *"The Three Wise Men."*
8 p. m., *"The Truth About Christmas."*
Monday, Dec. 26, 8 p. m.,
"The Royal Road to Happiness."
Prof. Estep Will Answer Questions and Give Unusual Demonstrations on Mental Science.
HOTEL BURLINGTON 1120 VERMONT AVENUE N.W.

PROGRAMS IN CAPITAL CHURCHES

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organ prelude, "Grand Triumphal Chorus" (Guilmant).

8 p. m.—Organ prelude, "Christmas Carols on the Chimes," "On An Old Provencal Noel" (Guilmant)); processional, "Adeste Fidelis;" anthems, "Holy Angels Singing" (Traditional); "Like Silver Lamps" (Barnby); solo, "Gesu Bambino" (Yon), by Paul Gottwals; quartet, "Lo, How a Rose" (Praetorius); solo, "He Shall Feed His Flock" (Handel), by Lena Orr; carols, "Bring a Torch, Jeannette, Isabella" (old French carol); "In a Stable Mean and Lowly" (Corsican folk song); "O, the Holly" (Mackinnon); "Sleep, My Jesus, Sleep" (old Dutch lullaby); "Silent Night, Holy Night" (Gruber); organ postlude, "Hallelujah Chorus" (Handel).

The soloists are Gladys Marks, Lenna Orr, Dorothy Stanton, Paul Gottwals and Joseph Edgerton. Muriel Day is organist and director.

Central Church.

10:45 a. m.—Organ "Gloria in Excelsis Deo" (Lemmens); "Gesu Bambino" (Yon); chimes "I Heard the Bells on Christmas Day;" soprano solo "Night of Nights" (Van de Water)); chimes "O Little Town of Bethlehem;" duet "Silent Night" (Gruber); barytone solo "The Newborn King" (L'Espoir); organ "Hallelujah Chorus" ("The Messiah") (Handel).

7 p. m.—The Christmas story told for the children by the pastor, Dr. James H. Taylor, with carol singing by the children, organ and chimes. Jeanette Prince, soprano; Earl Carbauh, barytone; John Russell Mason, organist.

CHURCH OF THE PILGRIMS.

Warren P. Johnson will play two movements from the "Christmas Sonata" of Otto Dienel at 7:30 o'clock this evening at the Church of the Pilgrims. Mr. Mortimer H. Davenport, barytone soloist, will sing "Before the Paling of the Stars," by Kramer. Miss Minnie Volkman and Mr. Davenport will sing the duet, "The Dayspring," from "Eve of Grace," by Matthews.

The Junior Choir, under the direction of Miss Volkman, will sing "Infant Jesus" (Yon); "Noel" (Adam), and "Cradle Song," by Brahms. At the morning service Mr. Davenport will sing "Quiet the Night in Palestine," by Edgeworth Smith and Velma Rawls. Mr. Johnson will play "A Christmas Pastoral," by Luard Selby.

Methodist

Foundry Church.

Morning, 11 o'clock — Prelude, "Shepherd Pipes" (Harris-Linton); anthem, "O Come to My Heart, Lord Jesus" (Ambrose) C. W. Curtis, soloist; tenor solo with choir, "O Holy Night" (Adams), Mr. Lawrie, soloist; Hallelujah Chorus from "Messiah" (Handel), by Choir; "Sevenfold Amen" (Stainer); postlude; "Christmas Chant" (Volchmar-Williams).

Evening—Prelude, "Silent Night" (Harkness); chimes: 8:05 to 8:20, carol singing by various choir units; processional; choir, "And the Glory of the Lord," from "Messiah" (Handel); soprano solo, "The Virgin at the Crib" (Montani), Ruth Linger, with violin obligato; choir, "A Joyous Christmas Song," old French (Gevaert); choir, "Gesu Bambino," for women's voices (Yon); double quartet, "Lo, How a Rose E'er Blooming," sixteenth century (Praetorius); choir, "Silent Night" (Gruber); postlude, "Ave Maria," sixteenth century (Arcadelt-Liszt). Mabel Linton Williams, organist; Justin Lawrie, soloist and director.

Douglas Memorial Church.

The Christmas cantata, "The Coming of the King," by Dudley Buck, will be sung by the vested choir under the direction of Estelle Wentworth with Mary Gastrock at the organ. The service will begin at 8 o'clock in the evening and will have the following soloists: Alma Harris, soprano; Margaret Phillips, soprano; Laura Williams, alto; Raymond Baine, tenor; James Bussey, tenor; Elliott Button, barytone; Ira Meyer, barytone, and Harry Crow, bass.

The music for the morning service sung by the choir will be "Behold I Bring You Good Tidings," by Adam Geibel, and "Peace Upon Earth," by W. J. Eldredge and Adam Geibel.

Trinity Church.

Special Christmas music will be rendered by the quartet and chorus choirs under the direction of Guy Skinner at both services on Christmas Day.

At 11 a. m.—Anthem, "There Were Shepherds" (Vincent); "Sing, O Sing This Blessed Morn" (Rogers). The Children's Choir, under the direction of Miss Eugena Newmayer, will sing "The Happy Bells Are Ringing," by Gabriel. The minister will speak on "Immanuel—God With Us."

In the evening at 8 o'clock, the anthems will be "Calm on the Listening Ear of Night" (Rogers); "O, Holy Night" (Adam); "Jesu, Bambino" (Yon); "Sing, O Heavens" (Tours).

Francis Asbury Church.

Special music by the quartet will feature both services. The morning program will be: Anthem, "Adeste Fideles" (Novello); anthem, "Cantique de Noel" (Adams); quartet, "Arise, Shine" (Buck); anthem, "There Were Shepherds" (Vincent).

The evening program will be: Anthem, "Sanctus" (Gounod); anthem, "Cantique de Noel" (Adams); anthem, "Sing, O Heavens" (Tours); quartet, "Silent Night" (Gruber).

Mount Vernon Place Church.

At the morning service the quartet will sing "Jesu Bambino" as an offertory number; the anthem is "Christmas Carol" ("The Little Jesus"), and was written by E. C. Potter for the choir on this occasion.

At 8 o'clock in the auditorium of the church, a Christmas oratorio, "Dawn in the Desert," text by Russel Edward Mitchell and music by R. Deane Shure, will be given by the choir, under the direction of Mr. Shure. The program is as follows:

Part One (Old Testament Prophecy): Soprano recitation and chorus, "Jehovah's Warning and Promise;" soprano and alto duet, "Divine Light Promised;" barytone solo and quartet, "How Fair on the Slopes;" tenor solo, "Arise in Day-Dawning Glory;" chorus, "A Fruitful Branch;" barytone solo, "The Valley of the Slain."

Part Two (The Prophecy Fulfilled): Barytone solo and male chorus, "March of the Wise Men;" alto solo, "The Song of Mary;" chorus for sopranos and altos, "The Divine Lullaby;" soprano solo, "Ye Heavenly Choirs;" chorus, "Song of the Shepherds;" finale chorus, "Worthy Art Thou."

Lutheran

St. Mark's Church.

The musical program Christmas morning at 6:30 o'clock, under the direction of Lucy Paul Shaw, organist and director, will be as follows: Organ prelude, "Pastoral Symphony" (from The Messiah) (Handel); anthem, "While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks" (Smart); soprano solo, "Gesu Bambino" (Yon), Marie Trede; anthem, "Nazareth" (Gounod); bass solo, "Silent Night," Wilfred Nerlich; soprano and alto duet, "O Little Town of Bethlehem" (Speaks), Laura Lyle and Alice Sherrer; organ postlude, "In dulci jubilo" (Ancient carol).

Christ Church.

Christmas Eve, 11:30 o'clock. Organ prelude, "The Holy Night," Buck; processional, "Come Hither, Ye Faithful," Reading; hymn, "O Little Town of Bethlehem," Redner; carol, "Silent Night, Holy Night," Gruber; organ offertory, "Christmas in Sicily," Yon; anthem, "Christians Awake," Maunder; carol, "Away in a Manger," Spiering; recessional, "From Heaven Above to Earth I Come," Schumann; organ postlude, "Caravan of the Magi," Maunder. Soloists: Soprano, Mrs. Emil Kryz; tenor, Ralph Morton. Organist and director, William R. Hamill.

Unitarian

All Souls'.

Eleven o'clock—Instrumental prelude, "Ave Maria" (Bach-Gounod), "Pastorale" (Weihnachtskonzert) (Corelli); duet, with obbligato, "Calm on the Listening Ear" (Harker); duet, with obbligato, "Gesu Bambino" (Pietro Yon); duet, "Noel of the Bressan Waits" (Darcieux); offertory trio, "Pastorale" (Widor); organ postlude, "Ancient Noels." Flora McGill Keefer, mezzo-contralto; Charles Trowbridge Tittman, bass; Elas Raner, violin; Richard Lorleberg, cello; Lewis Corning Atwater, organ.

Five o'clock in the afternoon. Half-hour of Christmas organ music—"In Dulcio Jubilo" (Bach), "March of the Magi Kings" (DuBois), "The Little Shepherd" (Debussy), "Ave Maria" (sixteenth century) (Arcadelt), "Christmas in Sicily" (Yon), offertoire, "Sur d'Anciens Noels" (Gounod), "Petite Pastorale" (Ravel), "Stille Nacht" (Gruber).

Universalist

National Memorial Church.

The music will be sung tomorrow morning by the National Capital Choir, Dr. Albert W. Harned, organist and director, and will include the carols "Unto Us a Boy Is Born," "A Child This Day Is Born," "The First Noel" and "It Came Upon a Midnight Clear" (with descant). Dr. Harned's organ selections will be the overture and postoral symphony, from "The Messiah," and a fantasia on the tune "St. Anne;" Jessie Masters, contralto, will sing "Die Heilege Nacht;" Irene Koehl, soprano, the incidental solo in "Unto Us a Boy Is Born."

Miscellaneous

Walter Reed Hospital.

Midnight mass at Walter Reed Chapel on Christmas Eve will be sung by the following soloists, augmented by the regular choir:

Minnie H. Volkmann, soprano; Edna Hylliard Howard, soprano; S. Elizabeth Kerr, contralto; Ambrose Harrison, tenor; H. Le Roy Lewis, barytone; Mrs. A. J. Gerrer, organist.

OTHER SERVICES.

VEDANTA SOCIETY
1712 N Street N.W.
SWAMI VIVIDISHANANDA
of India, in Charge
Sunday, Dec. 25, 8 P. M.
CHRISTMAS SERVICE
"Christ as We Hindus Understand Him"
Tuesday, Dec. 27, 8 p. m.
MEDITATION & STUDY OF GITA.
Thursday, Dec. 29, 8 p. m.
STUDY OF YOGA APHORISMS.
ALL ARE CORDIALLY INVITED.

Worship at
Albright Memorial Evangelical Church
Cor. Fourth and Rittenhouse Sts. N.W.
CHRISTMAS DAY
10:45 A. M.
Sermon, "The World's Best News."
5:00 P. M.
Vesper Service
Christmas Meditation
Two Vested Choirs
GEORGE E. SCHNABEL, *Minister*
"Come All Ye Faithful"

School to Give Christmas Drama

Holiday Features to Mark Services in Mount Pleasant Church.

What have come to be regarded as two "institutions" in the observance of Christmas Sunday at the Mount Pleasant Congregational Church will be features of the program which will begin in the morning and continue throughout the day at that church tomorrow.

A dramatization of the Christmas story against the background of the Syrian sky, in the church chancel, will form the worship service of the church school during the regular morning school hour. At the 11 o'clock church service the minister, the Rev. Russell J. Clinchy, will preach on "The Eternal Christmas," and a program of special music will be sung by the chorus.

In the afternoon, at 4:30 o'clock, the Mount Pleasant Congregational chorus and quartet will give a Christmas carol service. They will sing two groups of twelve carols written by American, English, Russian, Italian and German authors. A feature of this service will be the chorus' candlelight processional. "The Virgin's Lullaby," by Buck, will be sung as a contralto solo.

CATHOLIC.

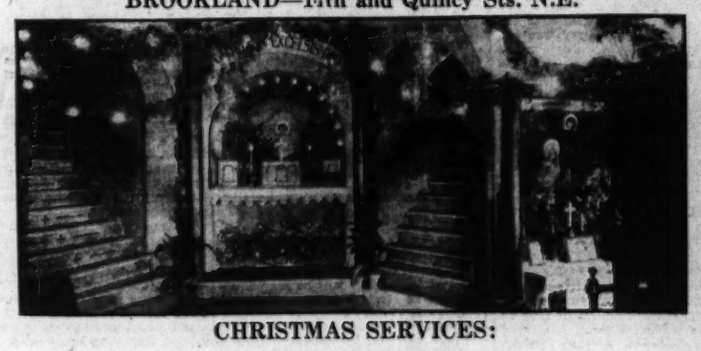
St. Mary's Church
Fifth St. N.W., Bet. G and H Sts.
CHRISTMAS MASSES
Solemn High Mass
At Midnight
Rev. Augustine Aylward, C. S. S. R.
Low Masses at 7 and 8:15 a. m.
High Mass and Benediction
At 9:30 a. m.
Last Low Mass at 11:30 a. m.

ST. DOMINIC'S CHURCH
Sixth and E Sts S.W.
MIDNIGHT MASS
CHRISTMAS EVE
Masses Christmas Day at 6:00, 7:30 and 9:00 A. M.
High Mass at 10:00 A. M.
Last Low Mass at 11:30 A. M.
Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament, 7:30 P. M.
No invitations required for attendance at the Midnight Mass.

CATHOLIC. CATHOLIC.

FRANCISCAN MONASTERY
BROOKLAND—14th and Quincy Sts. N.E.

GROTTO OF BETHLEHEM



CHRISTMAS SERVICES:

Christmas Eve., 10:45 P. M.—Chanting of Solemn Matins.

Midnight—Solemn High Mass. Holy Communion.

After the Mass—Procession to the Grotto of Bethlehem, where the services will be as in Bethlehem on this Holy Night. After which Low Masses will be celebrated in the Grotto at the Altar of the Nativity.

Christmas Day—6:00, 7:00, 8:00 A. M., Low Masses. 9:00 A. M., Solemn High Mass. 3:30 P. M., Carols and Solemn Benediction.

January 8th, 3:30 P. M.—Epiphany Procession to the Grotto of Bethlehem.

The Monastery may be reached by the Brookland car, which will run until 3 o'clock on Christmas morning.

SOLEMN MIDNIGHT MASS
AT
THE NATIONAL SHRINE
OF THE
IMMACULATE CONCEPTION
CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY
OF AMERICA

Celebrant:
Rt. Rev. Msgr. Bernard A. McKenna, D. D., LL. D.,
Director of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception
Choir From the La Salle Brothers' Novitiate
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At 11:30 P. M., Before the Midnight Mass, a Musical Program Will Be Given of Hymns and Carols, and the New Organ Will Be Used.

MASSES FOR CHRISTMAS DAY
Christmas Morning Masses—8:00, 9:00 and 10 A. M.,
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Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament—3:30 P. M.
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CARDINALS OF CURIA CALL ON POPE TODAY

Pontiff Will Enumerate His Joys and Sorrows of Past 12 Months.

Vatican City, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—The twenty-odd cardinals of the Curia call on Pope Pius early tomorrow afternoon to wish him heartily "Merry Christmas." Cardinal Pignatelli di Belmonte, 81-year-old dean of the Sacred College, will congratulate him, in the name of all the cardinals, including the four Americans, on completing another year as supreme pontiff of the Roman Catholic Church.

Pius will receive them in the throne room. After a few words of greeting by the Pope, Pignatelli will make a short formal address, recalling the Pope's achievements of this last year, and concluding with the Latin "Ad multos annos," meaning "may you have a long life!"

Following an ancient custom, the Pope will enumerate his joys and sorrows of the year. Churchmen said today that he would list among his joys:

1. Completion and dedication of the sumptuous new Vatican Art Gallery.

2. Increasingly friendly relations with the Italian government, exemplified by Mussolini's visit to him in February of this year.

3. Some betterment of the world crisis.

4. The felicitations he received on becoming 75 years old May 31.

They said his sorrows would include:

1. Strained relations with Mexico, the condition of the clergy there, which drew a comprehensive encyclical letter from Pius last October.

2. Difficult conditions for the church in Russia and Spain. Cardinal Segura, driven from Spain, will be one of the cardinals making the call.

3. Distress experienced by every nation from the economic crisis. The Pope is expected to relate what he himself has done to alleviate this crisis by giving construction work to some thousands of laborers and craftsmen, not only in Vatican City, but also in buildings that come under the direction and sovereignty of the Vatican by virtue of the Lateran treaty with Italy.

4. The deaths of the cardinals who passed away during the year—the Austrian Piffl, the Dutchman Van Rossum.

Tomorrow night the Pope will say three Christmas Eve midnight masses in his private chapel.

Invited Autoist Asks For $10,000 in Suit

An invited passenger in an auto yesterday sought damages from the father of the driver of the car in a suit filed in Prince Georges County Circuit Court by Mildred Lownes Berry against Arthur F. Reaney, of 4406 Fifteenth street northwest.

According to Miss Berry's bill, she was invited by Mr. Reaney's daughter, Marguerite, to ride to St. Marys City, Md., last June 13. On the road the car skidded, and Miss Berry was cut and bruised, she says. Just before the accident, she alleges, she had protested against the "recklessness, want of care, default and negligence" of Miss Reaney. The accident, she says further, was due to these factors. The suit, which asks damages of $10,000 for permanent disfigurement, was filed through Attorney Clarence Roberts.

William Harris, Father Of Capital Man, Buried

Indianapolis, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Funeral services were held today for William H. Harris, 80, inventor of several mechanical appliances used in automobile construction. He died Wednesday, following a year's illness.

He was born in Cleveland, the son of Edwin Harris, an editor of the Cleveland Herald, no longer published. He is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Catherine Leslie, of this city, and two sons, Beverley Harris, an architect, of Washington, D. C., and Edwin Harris, a former Pittsburgh newspaperman.

Teacher for Blind Dies.

Provo, Utah, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Mrs. Sara Whalen Talmage for twenty years copublisher with her blind husband, Albert Talmage, of The Messenger for the Sightless, a Braille publication, died at her home here today after an illness of two weeks. Mrs. Talmage was born in New York. She came to Utah in 1905 as a teacher in the State School for the Blind at Ogden.

FOREIGN NEWS IN BRIEF

Moscow, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—The correspondent of the Tass (Russian) News Agency at Teheran, Persia, reported today that a "friendly agreement" between Afghanistan and Irak was signed yesterday in the Afghan embassy at Teheran.

Brussels, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—The Chamber of Deputies voted confidence in the new government headed by Premier Charles de Broqueville today by a margin of 100 to 80. The government was formed last Saturday.

Granada, Spain, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Several hundred unemployed paraded streets here today. One group rushed a grocery store, breaking windows and carrying off foodstuffs. Two rioters were wounded when guards charged the mob and dispersed it.

Changchun, Manchuria, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Six Japanese aviators were killed and another was seriously wounded today when Chinese irregulars shot down a bombing plane near Wan Pao-Shan, 20 miles northwest of here. The plane was bombing a concentration camp of irregulars. The Chinese returned the fire with an antiaircraft gun, scored a direct hit and the engine exploded.

Ilford, Essex, England, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Harriett Jay, novelist and dramatist, died at her home here today after a long illness. She wrote "A Marriage of Convenience" and several other novels. Among her plays was "When Knights Were Bold." She was 69.

Wuppertal, Germany, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—The municipal Christmas tree in the public square went up in flames today when in the course of serious Communist rioting angry demonstrators defied police bullets, poured kerosene on the lower branches and set it afire. Three men were wounded seriously by gunfire. Windows were broken and street lamps torn up.

Lima, Peru, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Premier Carlos Zavala Loayza resigned today. The resignation had been expected for some time because of his poor health. He became premier last September and also held the post of foreign minister.

Milan, Italy, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—The "proper mood" has come, and Pietro Mascagni has started work on his new opera, "Nero." He said some time ago that he had the opus in mind but would await the moment of inspiration—"probably late some night after my friends have gone home."

Leningrad, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Zoologists from the Soviet Academy of Science have explored the Arctic graveyard of a herd of gigantic prehistoric mammals along the shores of OB Bay. They have identified the monsters tentatively as whales believed to have lived thousands of years ago. They plan another investigation.

Belo Horizonte, Brazil, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Brazil's first feminist political party has been formed in the State of Minas Geraes.

London, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—A bill limiting working hours of British labor to a 6-hour day has been defeated in the House of Commons.

Anna Eva Fay's Husband Dies.

Melrose, Mass., Dec. 23 (A.P.).—David H. Pingree, 72, manager and later husband of the late Anna Eva Fay, who toured the theaters of the world as a mind reader, died today.

SOCIETY

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spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Howard H. Sypher, jr.

Christmas dinner will be served tomorrow at the Woman's National Democratic Club.

The American Association of University Women's Club will give their Christmas supper dance Monday at 7:30 o'clock in honor of the sons and daughters of the members. Miss Marguerite Atchison will be hostess.

The Massachusetts State Society had a night of dancing and entertainment just before Christmas. The Barry sisters entertained with dancing and singing. Little "Boffie" Barry sang several popular songs and received much applause. Mr. Frank De Angelo, the popular barytone, gave several selections.

Mr. Frank E. Hickey, the president of the society, announced the annual congressional night, January 20. The society plans a reception so that all of the Massachusetts people may meet their representatives and senators.

Fifth Avenue Fashions

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THE PARADINE CASE

By ROBERT HICHENS

SYNOPSIS.

Sir Malcolm Keane, K. C., is asked by Sir Simon Flaquer, a noted English solicitor, to defend Mrs. Paradine, who has been arrested for the murder of her husband, who had been blinded in the war and had been decorated with the V. C. Sir Simon tells Keane that Mrs. Paradine is a beautiful Dane, who had been rescued from a life of degradation in Copenhagen by an American diplomat, taken as a servant to America and later made her way to England. She'd married Maj. Paradine after the war. He agrees to handle the case and becomes immediately intensely interested in it.

Sir Malcolm is happily married to Gay, but when he calls on Mrs. Paradine at Holloway Jail he feels the strange fascination of his beautiful client. He is worried because Lord Horfield might be named as judge of the trial and endeavors to be friendly to him. He and Gay give a little dinner party to which they ask Lord and Lady Horfield. After the party Sir Malcolm studies a photograph of William Marsh, Col. Paradine's valet, and the idea occurs to him that the man who acted in so intimate a relation to his blind master might have had an opportunity to kill him. His plan of defense begins to take form in his mind.

Gay meets a Swedish painter, Baron Sedelsward, at the Flaquers' and he invites her to a private view of his paintings. Sir Malcolm decides to go to the exhibition when he learns that Sedelsward was acquainted with Mrs. Paradine. He asks the painter to dine with him that night.

Judy Flaquer, Gay's friend, suspects that Sir Malcolm is neglecting Gay because of his abnormal interest in his client. Lady Horfield also warns Keane to "look out" for his wife.

"NEVER mind!" he said, feeling that he had gone much too far, and determined never to mention Gay's name to her in such a connection. "Why bother about it? If I were going to give up your case I shouldn't be here. But now, as you care, more even than I'd supposed, for my help, and believe in it and in me, we can work together as we haven't worked yet. Sir Simon Flaquer, after a lot of hesitation, has fallen in with my view about your defense. He'll see you with me——"

"Today?"

"No, but almost immediately. I've had a letter from him this morning. He's come around to my point of view. But now tell me——" he stared hard at her with ruthless eyes, "——suppose we didn't put you in the box at your trial?"

She stared back at him and waited.

"Suppose we decided it would be wisest to keep you out of it—what would you say?"

"I should say," she said, in a heavy, trailing voice, accenting her words, "that you were mad. That is what I should say."

Menace surely came into her eyes, which defied him.

"Sir Simon was right," he thought. "How much do I really know of her?"

For a moment he was too upset to speak. Seeing it, she spoke. She said:

"But why should you and Sir Simon wish to keep me out of the box?"

"We don't wish to if you will give the evidence we think necessary, if we are sure you will do that and not be shaken in cross examination. But there must be no contest between us and you. Otherwise it will be perceived by the jury, to say nothing of the judge, and you will be lost. Obstinacy has proven the damnation of many a man and woman. We have to know beforehand what we are to expect from you in the trial."

"Put me in the box and I can do as much for myself as any one can do for me."

"Perhaps you'd like to conduct your own case!" he exclaimed.

"No, I know nothing of law. What I know something of is not law."

"What is it, then?"

"Human nature."

Exasperation grew in him. He had an increasing urge to dominate her. And she refused to be dominated.

"My knowledge of that perhaps equals yours," he said. "And Sir Simon isn't far behind us, I fancy, in that respect. However, if you insist on going your own way—go it. After all, it's you who must take the consequences."

"I am sorry," she said. "But I can not be other than what I am. I know I am too outright. That has always been my fault. At least you know where you are with me."

"I hope so," he muttered. "I hope so."

Ashamed of the violence of his feeling and that she must know of it, he made a strong effort to get over it. The effort made his voice hard when he spoke again.

"Now we'll waste no more time. What Sir Simon and I want to know definitely is whether we can depend on you to give evidence which will help us in the defense I've already told you about. Can you do so? If the evidence you will give is purely negative, then——" he threw up his hands, "——then we are done. I must have something to work with. I can't bite on air. Now then——" himself seemed to sink suddenly into the hard-bitten, self-possessed lawyer, unemotional, lucid and keen, ——"now then, are you going to back me up in the suggestion that your husband's death may have been caused by William Marsh, acting, mind you, at the instance of your husband himself? Sir Simon agrees with me that to go on these lines gives us our best chance to win. It may be——" he looked away from her for an instant, "——our only chance. I'm inclined to think it is. Can you give evidence which will help to impress on the minds of the jury that the deed may have been done in that way? You've had time now to think the whole matter over. What is your answer?"

"This is the evidence I can give," she said. "I don't know whether it is exactly what you want. If not, I can not change it. It is the truth, at any rate, of the situation before my husband died. Till you spoke to me of it I had never thought that Marsh might possibly have helped my husband to his death. But now I realize that it may have been so."

"Who did you think had committed the murder—if murder it was?"

"I did not know," she said, simply.

And the blank look came into her face. Confronted by it Keane said:

"Please go on. Tell me."

She began to speak in a level voice.

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A few days later Keane said to his wife:

"I shall have to be out of London for a few days. I hope you won't mind being left alone. Have some one up to keep you company if you like. But I shall only be away for a very short time."

Gay showed no surprise. She only said:

"Oh, I shall be all right. Is it a new law case?"

"No. I wish to visit Cumberland. It is in connection with Mrs. Paradine's case."

"Oh, yes?"

"She and her husband lived at Hindley Hall not very far from the sea. The house is to let since his death. The village close by is called Hindley. All the people in it were Col. Paradine's tenants. I shall not stay in the village but at Sedale on the Sands, a few miles away. There's a decent hotel there, I understand, and I shall have sea air. I feel I need it. I want a binge up before the hard work the spring will bring me. I haven't been sleeping well lately. But I'm going up north, of course, on business. I'll try to kill a couple of birds with one stone, get some information I want and a tonic at the same time."

"I see. You'll take Pinson?"

"No. I shan't want a valet with me. I want to be alone."

"When do you start, Malcolm?"

"I think I'd better go by the night mail from Euston tomorrow. There's a sleeping car as far as Carnforth. Then one goes on down the coast by Barrow in Furness and Furness Abbey. Sedale on the Sands is a few stations before St. Bee's and Whitehaven."

"I hope it will do you good. You are not looking too well!"

"Oh, there's nothing the matter with me. I'm only a little bit tired."

He hesitated, then added:

"And one can't avoid all the stupid social engagements up here. All the talk, talk, talk gets on my nerves at times. How they talk! How they talk!"

"Perhaps the change will rest you. But surely it will be very cold on that coast in January."

"I don't mind if it is. Let nature pitch into me. I can bear that."

He went out of the room.

When she was alone Gay was in conflict. Keane's unexpected announcement had given her a dramatic opportunity for making absolutely certain of something, certain without peradventure. She had only to make a suggestion and surely knowledge would, must engulf her. Given her husband's mood, given the state of his nerves, she felt certain that he would be incapable of acting to her, would be obliged to show the truth of his heart toward her, if she did what many a woman would surely do placed in her circumstances.

Pride told her to let her husband go north alone to wrestle with his demon. He had said that he wanted to be alone. Suppose she cast away her benumbing pride, gave way to her love, the love which now was persecuting her, and begged Malcolm to let her go with him to the north, to be with him for those few days by the sea, to make of them a second honeymoon after that honeymoon of ten years ago. Could she do it?

All that day she revolved the great question of conduct in her mind. She wondered why exactly he felt he must go to Hindley, what exactly he would do when he got there. Perhaps he was only going on strictly legal business.

And then her unquiet woman's mind wandered through the gardens surrounding a house in the north, stole through the corridors of that house, looked out of its windows, stayed in its rooms, received impression from its mystery, heard faint voices echoing between its walls, saw figures moving silently through its shadows, saw action committed within it.

Malcolm might be going to Hindley on business that was not legal. Perhaps he was going to do something for Mrs. Paradine, something that she had asked him to do; or perhaps he was going for reasons not of law but of sentiment.

And then her unquiet imagination rose in a tragic flight.

That house, Hindley Hall, had been Mrs. Paradine's home for several years. There are people with strong personalities who impress themselves upon places where they abide, linger on there when they are said to be "gone."

Malcolm, she knew, had a lot of romance in him. Formerly she had been glad of that, had felt deliciously at home with his romance. But now——

As the day wore on—she spent it alone—a conviction was born in her and persisted. It was this: That her only chance against the overwhelming Paradine case which was swallowing up her happiness was to identify herself with it. Hitherto she had always been deep in her husband's life and isolated from his law. And she had never wished it otherwise. He had come to her for refreshment. She had represented to him the gracious side of life in contrast to the criminal side of life with which so much of his work was identified.

Perhaps it was time that she roused herself and came to grips with the life that was stretching out claws to come to grips with her. But could she do it? Was it possible for her? Dared she do it?

There was only one way, she felt, to bury her pride, let her love loose from its cage, show Malcolm her heart, and ask him to take her into the Paradine case, to let her be there with him, to help him in it, if she could, at any rate to bring all her sympathy and aid him in bearing the burden of it.

After hours of mental debate and struggle she resolved to make her great attempt that evening. They were going to spend it at home and alone, Malcolm's last evening before going up north. She wouldn't arrange any careful plan in her mind. She would trust to her heart to do the best she was capable of. She had the feeling of one about to put her fate to the touch, the feeling that she was about to make a last throw for happiness, that the result would mean for her all or nothing.

Having come to a decision Gay tried to feel normal and calm. She went to her bookshelves and took out Ramacharaka's "Yogi Philosophy and Oriental Occultism," and tried to bury herself in it. She read again and again this passage:

"Learn to look intelligently into the hearts of men . . . by knowing men you will be able to help them and will also learn many lessons that will aid you in your journey along the path . . . Intelligence is imparted."

She read it, but she reduced the plural to the singular and instead of men she put the name of a man.

"I must be intelligent," she said to herself. "I have been loving. I know that. But perhaps I have not been intelligent."

She prayed for intelligence.

(To Be Continued.)

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Reese Elected Leader Of Chemists for 1934

New York, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Election of Dr. Charles L. Reese as president of the American Chemical Society for 1934, was announced today after a meeting of the society's council. He will succeed Prof. Arthur S. Lamb, of Harvard University, who becomes president January 1.

Dr. Reese retired in 1931 as chemical director of E. I. du Pont de Nemours & Co., Inc., after having been connected with that company since 1902. He was graduated from the University of Virginia and took his doctor's degree at Heidelberg.

Rogers Presents Sombrero.

Atlanta, Ga., Dec. 23 (A.P.).—A small edition of a Western sombrero came to Governor-elect Eugene Talmadge of Georgia today as a Christmas present from Will Rogers. On the hat the cowboy-humorist had written, "May we meet in Washington."

Culbertson on Bridge

By ELY CULBERTSON

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A WEALTH OF PLAYS.

OCCASIONALLY hands come up which contain so many various plays and defenses it is almost impossible to analyze the reasons behind every one of them. Such a hand is the following, which was submitted by Mr. Warwick Beardsley, New Haven, Conn.:

South—Dealer.
Neither side vulnerable.

The Bidding:

South	West	North	East
1♠	2◇	3♡	Pass
4♠	Pass	5◇	Pass
6♠	Pass	Pass	Dbl.
Pass	Pass	Pass	

On the whole, the bidding was quite accurate, and under ordinary circumstances the hand would not be a difficult one to make. However, had West opened the diamond Queen and East ruffed and returned the Ace of clubs, the hand automatically would have been set 4 tricks—certainly a rather peculiar result for a fairly sound Slam bid.

Actually, West was inhibited by North's cue bid in diamonds and decided in favor of the Queen of hearts Opening. This was won with Dummy's King, and South was faced with the proposition of finding a lead to get into his own hand. East's Double seemed to place the Ace of clubs in that hand, and if this was the case, West's diamond Overcall must have been made with practically no honor-trick holding at all. Consequently Mr. Beardsley reasoned that the diamond suit must be extremely long; in fact about eight cards in length. If this was so, East would trump the diamond lead. Obviously West would trump a heart lead, and a club would be fatal. Declarer's final decision was based purely on percentage. He led a low heart and ruffed with the Knave of spades. He followed this by leading three rounds of trumps, and even when he discovered that the suit did not break he still felt that his chances of making the contract were quite good. Still following his original premise that West held eight diamonds, this automatically placed that hand with an 8-4-1-0 distribution. If West were void in clubs, everything was still all right. A low spade was led and West thrown in with the Ten. Having nothing left but diamonds, he was now forced to lead that suit and concede the rest of the tricks to Declarer.

Mr. Beardsley's play at Trick 2 was decidedly commendable, considering the number of plays which he had at his command.

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QUESTIONS ANSWERED.

Mr. Culbertson will be glad to answer questions on bidding and play of hands sent in by readers. Address him in care of The Washington Post, inclosing a 3-cent stamped, self-addressed envelope.

How to Keep Well

By DR. W. A. EVANS

YELLOW FEVER AND AIR TRAVEL.

MORE than 50 years have elapsed since there has been a yellow fever epidemic of any importance in any part of North America. Prior to that time this disease ranked with cholera and outranked smallpox, plague, and typhus fever as a source of widespread alarm. When it was the great American menace there had been periods when it extended as far North as Montreal, Quebec, and the St. Lawrence Basin, whereas New York, Philadelphia and Boston had suffered more than one devastating epidemic.

The increasing use of air transportation has caused some thoughtful persons to be apprehensive of a repetition of the old-time epidemics of the disease. The methods of port quarantine that had proved their efficiency, so far as shipborne yellow fever was concerned, were futile when it came to air transports.

The 1931 annual report of the Rockefeller Foundation indicates that we are almost ready to meet any new danger which may threaten. About all the new scientific discoveries have been made. A vaccine has been discovered and its efficiency has been proved by its use for a few years by laboratory workers. Until about two years ago the students doing research work paid tribute to the disease by deaths of its members and others, or by severe but not fatal attacks of the disease. By using this vaccine working in yellow fever has been made safe. There remains the development of methods of finding some animal and some method by which an effective vaccine may be made and marketed in a form and at a price that will bring it into wide use.

In recent years it has been established that in the backlands of parts of tropical Africa and South America yellow fever prevails always and everywhere as a very mild disease, about like the common cold with us. It becomes a severe disease only when it gets away from home and appears among people who have had no training in having this disease. The farther from home it wanders the worse it is. A laboratory method of diagnosing yellow fever has been discovered. It is not accurate enough to be of great value in an individual case, but making use of it a department of health can go into a community, test the blood of a hundred or more persons, and come to a conclusion as to whether the disease is there at the time or has recently been there.

A laboratory test to show whether a given subject is an immune or not is on a fairly satisfactory basis. It has been found that mice and monkeys can have the disease. Furthermore, simple methods have been devised for increasing the susceptibility of these laboratory animals and changing the symptoms of yellow fever they show. If the type of the disease can be changed in some ways in laboratory animals it will be possible to find other ways of changing it. If two species of animals can be made to have it other and cheaper animals will be found to be capable of producing it and at a price that will bring it within reach. The blood of persons who have recovered from the disease is used to stimulate the production of the vaccine.

The vaccine now in limited use keeps very well, can be shipped, and is standardized. The way is prepared for meeting any increase of danger to our cities from yellow fever that may result from increased use of air transportation from South American points. Perhaps some day it may be thought wise to go into the back country in Africa and South America and clean out the nests of this disease. In any event we can await that decision in reasonable security.

Fort Monroe Officers Probe Soldier's Death

Old Point Comfort, Va., Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Fort Monroe authorities today were investigating the death of Private John McMann, of the post Coast Artillery School, whose body was found at the foot of a flight of stairs leading to the basement of the school building.

Private McMann's home is listed as Port Chester, N. Y. He had been in the service fourteen years. He was transferred to Fort Monroe from Fort Eustis, two years ago. Post authorities believed his death was due to a fall. His neck was broken. His body was found by a sentry.

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Interpreting the Mode

By DARE

THE men, God bless 'em!

And choosing their gifts, choosing them in such a way that both the men and our own ideas of taste and what improvement we could make on theirs are satisfied.

It sounds important, doesn't it? And it is, too—important, I mean. Because there is nothing quite as permanent as a gift—or as important, since it remains a monument to the taste or lack of taste of the giver.

Must I remind you again that the amount of money spent on a gift has nothing to do with the taste displayed? You would not like to believe this, I know, because it is such a convenient excuse to yourself. But somehow you know it's true, so let's just this season try and see what we can do about using our heads—and our taste, in selecting the gifts for our men folk.

I have an idea about this that I would like to pass on, too. 'Tis that gifts of wearing apparel, ties and hankies and things like that, are not interesting gifts to make. A permanent little thing of beauty, something that he can admire, something that he can take out and look at and remember you by, something of which he is proud and will show his friends—that is the kind of gift to make to any man. Whether he tells his friends where the gift originated or just admires it again and again with them—secretly remembering the donor—doesn't matter. But a little subtle, often inexpensive but unusual and rare gift, is the clever and sophisticated gift to make any man.

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Aren't gifts for men the darndest things to worry about? And that most sneaking and awful feeling that we haven't chosen the right thing after all! Or that our gift is not really original, or that we couldn't spend as much money for it as we wished—or should. It's all just too much of a problem, my dear, so give it up and let Dah-ray do a little suggesting! The leaflet that just this minute came in from the printer's will tell you all about it—it's just full of suggestions for men's gifts, as well as directions for making several of 'em yourself, and making a most handmade job out of it, too. So send your stamped, self-addressed envelope to the Dare Department of The Washington Post for the illustrated leaflet of men's gifts, and choose from it. You can't go wrong, I'll promise.

Au Revoir.

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What Today Means

By MARY BLAKE

"CAPRICORN."

IF December 24 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date are from 11 a. m. to 11:45 a. m., from 5:30 p. m. to 6:45 p. m. and from 7 p. m. to 8 p. m. The danger periods are from 8 a. m. to 9 a. m. and from 2:30 p. m. to 3:30 p. m.

Influences operative on this date are not conducive to the ultimate success of ventures begun. It would seem advisable to postpone for some days the putting of any new plans or ideas into operation. This does not mean that ideas and inspirations received, and plans formulated on this December 24 will prove of no avail. Simply, it seems advisable to delay for a period, acting upon them.

Born on this December 24, the child will be a healthy, normal child, and will most probably lead a rather routine life. In his early teens the child will possibly show a decided aptitude in one of the arts, probably writing or painting. He may or may not follow this inclination as a life work, but it should remain with him as a hobby. An idealistic and dreamy mind, inclined to highly fantastic and imaginary wanderings. Not a practical youngster.

If December 24 is your birthday, you will, in all probability, enjoy a long and eventful life, one that will lead you through all sorts of experiences in all parts of the world. You have a nature that constantly demands that you be doing something new, something interesting, and preferably, something creative. You do not have the patience to carry out routine duties nor to follow other people's commands and plans. Rather, you create yourself, put your ideas into practice and when they begin to take firm root, on you must go to something else.

Yours is a free and easy nature. You make friends quickly, wherever you are. There is something within you that holds them even though you do not see them for years at a time. You are extremely fair in your dealings with others and are the type of person who will ask of no one what you would not be willing to do for yourself. You take love lightly; you believe that marriage would bore you, and probably you would be restless if you felt that you had to lead a settled married existence. Whether man or woman, you enjoy children, but do not crave to have any of your own. You probably prefer to be called Aunt or Uncle by all the kids in town.

Successful people born on December 24:

Christopher (Kit) Carson, pioneer and soldier.

William T. Porter ("York's Tall Son"), journalist.

Henry Russell, song composer.

William Frederick Poole, librarian.

John R. Tucker, jurist and statesman, of Virginia.

Samuel P. Duffield, physician.

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How to Be Beautiful

By ELSIE PIERCE

I READ a very interesting article by a psychologist recently warning parents to spare their children any depression talk, for such talk undermines their sense of security, their child-like faith, their exalted opinions of their parents. I wish the writer of that article had carried the warning a step further and included the parents themselves. For, in the last analysis, aren't we all children?

Let us take the Christmas spirit as an example of what warmth, contentment, perfect peace can do for us. All thoughts of woe and worry, depression and despair are shelved. For a few days, at least, happiness reigns supreme and with it beauty. For beauty is the outward expression of inner wholesomeness, health, happiness.

Last Christmas I visited a family whom depression had hit hard, reducing them from wealth to very moderate means. When the holiday season arrived, gifts were small and practical instead of large and elaborate. But the spirit was there. And the four year old of the family ventured gleefully "Daddy must be rich again and look how happy Mommy is."

It is no idle preaching that gratitude for the little things in life builds better men and women. It serves as an aid to health and beauty and hastens that longed-for, sunny dawn that comes after darkness.

Look at Mother on Christmas Day. For weeks she has rushed about, worked hard, felt exhausted, wondered whether she could ever endure another season of Christmas shopping. Yet there is no trace of fatigue on her beaming face. For unselfishness is an indomitable spirit that routes fatigue, whisks away lines and wrinkles and reflects like a magnifying mirror an inner beauty. That uplifting influence is more than mental. It is physical as well.

I do not mean that it can take the place of cream when the skin is dry and chapped, or that it will keep your nose from shining without any beauty aids, or that it will magically change your hair to its original color once it has grayed. We need the external beautifiers that science has discovered for prolonging a youthful and beautiful appearance.

But just as we need the scientific beauty preparations, just as surely and more, do we need a cheerful attitude, a wholesome joy in living. We must think beauty and actually live it if our faces are to wear that serene, contented look. Otherwise eyes and lips will all too quickly give away thoughts of discontent, fretfulness, jealousy, selfishness—no matter how pperfect lip prouge and eye make-up are applied, they can not conceal.

A very merry Christmas, full of joy and cheer. And try to catch and carry its spirit right through the year. Be beautiful!

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The Shoreham's New Years Ball

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SATURDAY, DECEMBER 31, 1932

"Splendeur d'Art Moderne"

A New Year's Eve Party—"Differement"

Glittering—Metallic Decorations, Art Hats and Clamadors Originated Abroad for this Ball. Imported Ladies' SOUVENIRS of value equivalent to the couvert charge. An elaborate DINNER-SUPPER as only Chef Jacques Haeringer can prepare.

ENTERTAINMENT
A Complete Broadway Revue—Cast of Forty—New York Production
THE FAMOUS POLKA DOTS
Twenty of Earl Carroll's Vanities and Ziegfeld Follies' Girls and Four Specialty Dances
FRANCES LANGFORD
Famous Radio Singer—Protege of Rudy Vallee
BLANCHE & ELLIOTT
America's Most Sensational Dancers
FRANK WHITLOCK
Light Opera Baritone
WASHINGTON'S GIRL CROONER
Winner of the Shoreham Audition Contest
MUSIC
Maxim Lowe's Glistening Costumed, twenty-piece orchestra with BARNEE

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THE CELEBRATION OF THE YEAR IS WASHINGTON'S GREATEST EVENT

Daily Cross-Word Puzzle

ACROSS.

1 Constructed
5 To boil
9 part of the circumference of a circle
12 A seed covering
13 A canoe of East Indian seas
14 A Hawaiian food
15 Muddle
16 Most vigorous
18 Lukewarm
20 Endeavor
21 A barrier
23 Enrages
25 A cuckoo
26 Stalk
27 Employed
31 Urge on
33 Gratify
35 Makes knotted lace
36 Uncommon
38 Aeriform fluid
39 Diminish
41 Extinct sea bird
42 An alloy of iron and carbon
45 A sacred poem
47 Letters
49 A very small quantity
52 A vessel for heating water at the table
53 Small cubes
54 Bow of a vessel
55 A call in driving animals
56 Gnaws
57 Observed

DOWN.

1 Madam
2 Exist
3 A division of territory
4 Besides
5 Thin pieces rent off
6 Walk wearily
7 The Greek goddess of dawn
8 Fluid which descends from the clouds
9 Mimics
10 Girl's name
11 A large town
17 Pass out
19 Beyond
21 A lure
22 East Indian money of account
24 Consorts of rulers of empires
28 A chief of an Indian tribe
29 The elder son of Isaac
30 A writing table
32 Tracts of land surrounded by water (poetic)
34 A river in Siberia
37 Appearance
40 Cut off final syllable
42 Pedantic
43 Band on rim of wheel
44 Serf
46 Fleshy exterior parts of mouth
48 By way of
50 A digit
51 Beard on grasses

YESTERDAY'S ANSWER.

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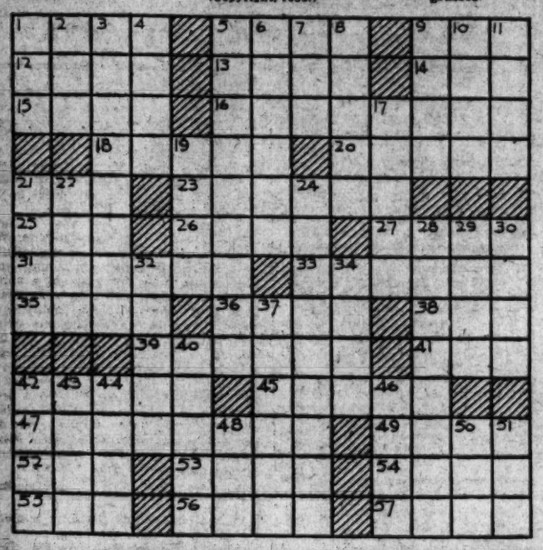

Radio Dial Flashes

By ROBERT D. HEINL

CHRISTMAS Eve will be observed in all radio programs today. Outstanding among the features listed are:

8:30 a. m. (WRC)—Cheerio's Christmas Celebration.

1:30 p. m. (WRC and WJSV)—National Press Club Christmas party, Senator William E. Borah; National Capital Chorus.

2 p. m. (WRC)—"La Boheme," Metropolitan Opera Company.

2 p. m. (WEAF, WTAM)—Christmas Eve on Ellis Island—Lucrezia Bori, Giovanni Martinelli and others.

5 p. m. (WRC, WJSV)—Nation's Christmas Tree—Vice President Curtis and Mrs. Gann, Senator Arthur Capper, Glee club, George Washington University, U. S. Marine Band.

6 p. m. (WJSV)—Fourth Precinct Police Station Christmas party.

6 p. m. (WOL)—Christmas sing—Congregational Church.

7 p. m. (WJSV)—Midnight mass from Church of the Madeleine, Paris.

7:30 p. m. (WRC)—Program from Benedictine Monastery of Beuron, Germany, with liturgical chants by the monks and an address by the arch abbot in English.

8 p. m. (WRC)—"The Messiah"—Vocal Arts Chorus of Cleveland, directed by Charles G. Dawes.

8:30 p. m. (WOL)—Central Union Mission Glee Club.

9 p. m. (WRC)—Frank Black's Orchestra in Christmas program.

9 p. m. (WMAL)—Christmas musicale—Sextet from National Symphony Orchestra.

9 p. m. (WOL)—Northern Dramatic Company—Dickens' "Christmas Carol."

9:30 p. m. (WRC)—Mme. Schumann-Heink.

10 p. m. (WJSV)—Dickens' "A Christmas Carol"—"Old Scrooge," Robert Vivian; Tiny Tim, Julian Altman.

11 p. m. (WJSV)—Dancing Christmas Memories—Morton Downey, soloist.

11:30 p. m. (WMAL)—Christmas carols—Massed chorus from steps of National City Christian Church.

11:58 p. m. (WRC)—Trinity Chimes.

12 midnight (WOL)—Midnight mass, Church of Immaculate Conception.

12:01 a. m. (WJSV)—New English singers, direction Cuthbert Kelly, Channon Collinge's Choir.

Linking of the New World and the Holy Land, which had been planned as a special Christmas Eve program, has been temporarily postponed, due to difficulties in transmission arrangements. It is hoped, however, that WRC will be able to broadcast services from the Church of the Nativity in Bethlehem early in 1933.

A HIGHLIGHT of the hearing on the radio bill before the Senate interstate commerce committee, of which Senator Couzens, of Michigan, is chairman, came when H. A. Bellows, of Minneapolis, representing the National Association of Broadcasters, protested against the elimination of the examiners' division of the Federal Radio Commission. Louis Caldwell, of the American Bar Association radio committee, also objected to this proposal. Mr. Bellows pointed out that the examiners' system had worked out to the entire satisfaction of the broadcasters.

Senator Dill declared there are only 63 cases pending before the commission now and wanted to know, if they have examiners to hear their cases for them, what the commissioners do with their time. Senator Couzens suggested that the commission should be cut from five to three members. Whereupon Senator Dill commented that if they weren't going to have any more to do in the future than the record shows they have been doing lately, the commission might even be reduced to one member.

Every ship which comes up New York Harbor after nightfall follows the course directed by the famous Sim Tree range light, which is now photoelectrically controlled so as to be switched on automatically at dusk. Eventually it is expected that all of the navigation lights around New York Harbor will be automatically controlled by photo-cells, without human operation. The tests so far have shown the full dependability of photoelectric control, even under such rigorous requirements as that of safeguarding ship traffic in the busiest harbor of the United States.

THE Boswell Sisters will be heard on two sustaining programs a week after the beginning of the year—Tuesdays and Thursdays at 7:45 p. m. are tentatively scheduled. Connie, Martha and Vet will augment their radio activities with vaudeville appearances * * * George Burns and Gracie Allen leave for the film capital in two weeks. They will appear in "International House" and "College Humor," two full-length features * * * While other singers visualize their audience or sing to some unseen person, Julia Sanderson, costar with her husband, always sings to Frank Crumit, who usually stands facing her at another microphone in the studio * * * Early activities of radio artists: Hall Johnson, leader of the Hall Johnson singers on the Maxwell House Show Boat program, played in the orchestra of the "Runnin' Wild" company * * * Richard Maxwell's first stage appearance was as understudy to John Steele in "The Music Box Revue" * * * "Statistics show that American girls last year spent three times as much for cosmetics as the United States did for its army," declared an economist on the air. "Yes," commented Jack Denny, "but just see all the battles the girls won!"

"XMAS," according to Charles Winninger, Capt. Henry of the Show Boat programs, "marks the spot where the money disappeared."

More than 500 soloists representing nearly every major choral group and church choir in Washington, will take part in a program of Christmas carols beginning at 12:30 tonight, from the steps of the National City Christian Church, Thomas Circle.

The program, arranged by Station WMAL, under the auspices of the District of Columbia Federation of Churches, will be broadcast from 11:30 p. m. to 12:30 a. m.

CHRISTMAS RADIO ATTRACTIONS

WRC.

7:00 a. m.—Waikiki Christmas Greetings.
12:15 p. m.—Roxy Mammoth Symphony.
6:46 p. m.—Armand Tokatyan, tenor of Metropolitan Opera.
8:00 p. m.—Eddie Cantor.
9:00 p. m.—G. E. Circle Concert—Rosa Ponselle.
9:30 p. m.—Album of Familiar Music.

WJSV.

9:00 a. m.—Fourth Precinct Police Station Xmas Party.
10:00 a. m.—Sermon by the Most Rev. James D. Wolf Ferry, Bishop of Rhode Island.
12:30 a. m.—Children's Xmas Carols from London, Paris and Berlin.
1:30 p. m.—Christmas address — The Right Rev. William Turner, Bishop of Buffalo.
3:00 p. m.—New York Philharmonic Orchestra—Ezen Petri, Dutch pianist.
10:30 p. m.—Saint-Saens' Christmas Oratorio.

WMAL.

11:00 a. m.—Services from McKendree Methodist Episcopal Church.
1:45 p. m.—Christmas Play — Central High School Students.
3:00 p. m.—Old Hymn Book Hour.
9:00 p. m.—Harold Veo's Salon Orchestra.

New Television Station Is Opened in California

Los Angeles, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Completion of one of the most powerful television transmitters in the United States was announced today by Harry R. Lubcke, pioneer television engineer and director of the Don Lee Broadcasting System Television network.

The equipment has been rated at 1,000 watts, with a maximum output of 4,000 watts for signal peaks. The station has been assigned call letters W6XS and went on a regular broadcasting schedule tonight, operating daily, except Sundays and holidays, between 6 and 7 p. m.

DICK TRACY—Plots and Plans

OVERPOWERING THE HOODLUM WHO ENTERED HIS CAR AND ORDERED TRACY TO "CATCH A POLICE CAR HEADED FOR CROSSVILLE" — THE DETECTIVE REALIZES HE IS ON THE TRAIL OF LARCENY LU'S GANG . . .
I'VE GOT ALL THE INFORMATION OUT OF YOU I NEED AND YOU'RE JUST DEAD WEIGHT — BEAT IT!
IF I REMEMBER RIGHT — LARCENY LU USED TO HAVE A HIDEAWAY OUT ON THIS CROSSVILLE ROAD ABOUT FIVE MILES. SHE MAY HAVE STOPPED THERE.
AW, BUT LU — WE SHOULDN'T TAKE TIME TO STOP AT THE SHACK — IT'S RISKY.
WE'RE STOPPIN' THERE — I TELL YOU — THERE'S NO DANGER NOW! I WANT TO GET SOME DOUGH I'VE GOT HID IN THE CISTERN.
AND STILL CLINGING TO THAT SPARE TIRE — DETERMINED TO PROVE HIS ABILITY AS A COP — JUNIOR LAYS HIS PLANS.
OH BOY! WHEN DEY STOP I'LL LET DE AIR OUTTA ALL DE TIRES — DEN DEY CAN'T GO ON!

MINUTE MOVIES

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Baby Mine

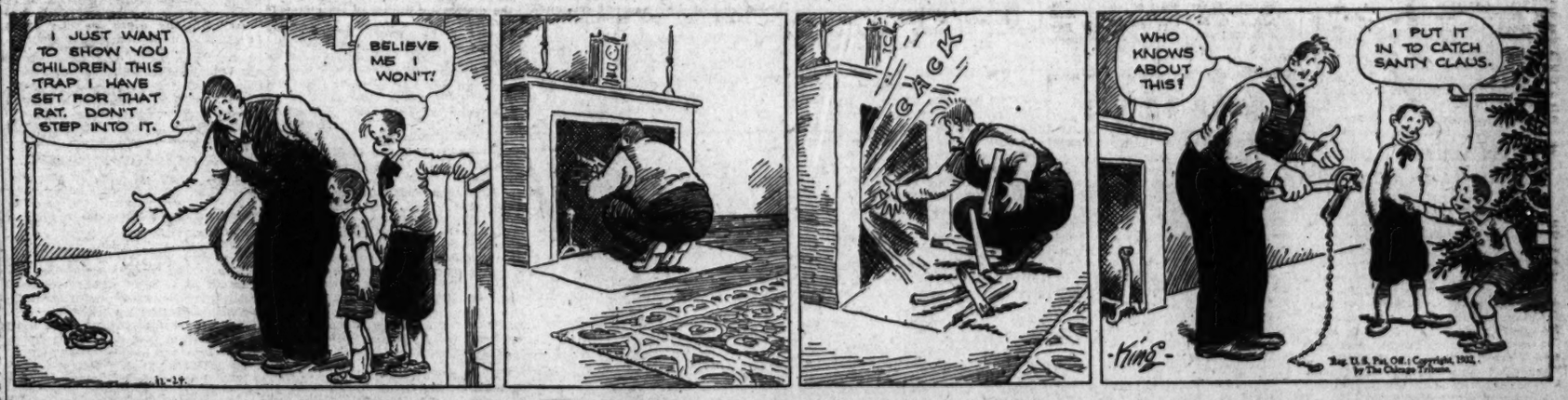
By Ed Wheelan

HOLIDAY SPECIAL — JACK AND THE BEAN-STALK — PART TWELVE
JACK FOLLOWED THE SAME PATH THRU THE SKY AS BEFORE AND SOON CAME TO THE WICKED GIANT'S CASTLE
AND SURE ENOUGH THE GIANT'S WIFE WHEN SHE OPENED THE DOOR DID NOT RECOGNIZE HIM
PLEASE, CAN YOU GIVE ME FOOD AND A PLACE TO REST?! I'M SO TIRED AND HUNGRY!
NO, NO!!
YOU CAN'T COME IN HERE! ONCE BEFORE I TOOK IN A TIRED AND HUNGRY BOY AND HE STOLE MY HUSBAND'S PET HEN THAT LAYS THE GOLDEN EGGS!
BUT JACK TALKED AND BEGGED SO PLEASANTLY THAT THE GIANT'S WIFE AT LAST ADMITTED HIM AND GAVE HIM SOME SUPPER
HURRY, YOUNG MAN, I MUST HIDE YOU BEFORE MY HUSBAND COMES. IF HE CATCHES YOU HERE, HE WILL SURELY EAT YOU!
AFTER SUPPER THE KIND WOMAN HID JACK IN A BIG CUPBOARD
SH-H... QUIET NOW — HERE COMES MY HUSBAND!!
A MOMENT LATER THE BLOOD-THIRSTY GIANT ENTERED THE ROOM
I SMELL BOY!!
BOYS AND GIRLS, DON'T MISS PART 13 — MONDAY!!
12-24

THE GUMPS *Follow the Gumps in the Colored Comic Section of The Sunday Post* *The World's Greatest Santa Claus*

BIM IS STILL PLAYING THE ROLE OF THE POOR RELATION — AND IF HE KEEPS IT UP WHAT A GLOOMY CHRISTMAS IT WILL BE FOR THE GUMPS-
NO-BIM-YOU'RE NOT IN THE WAY AT ALL-
WELL-THE HOUSE IS AWFULLY SMALL-YOU KNOW-WE HAVEN'T MUCH ROOM-BUT WE CAN MANAGE SOME WAY FOR AWHILE-
I CAN TAKE MY GRIP AND GO-
LISTEN HERE-BIMBO! THIS IS OUR HOUSE-AND AS LONG AS WE HAVE A ROOF OVER OUR HEAD AND A CRUST OF BREAD-YOU ARE WELCOME TO HALF OF IT-MY PAL!
THAT'S ALL I WANT TO KNOW-
AND NOW-FOLKS-SEEING THAT CHRISTMAS IS TOMORROW-I AM GOING TO GIVE YOU YOUR PRESENTS NOW-THIS SUIT CASE HAS A ROUGH EXTERIOR BUT A HEART OF GOLD-I HAVE BROUGHT YOU THESE GREEN BACKS-NICE AND FRESH FROM THE MINT-MERRY CHRISTMAS TO YOU ALL-
BACK IN THE HARNESS AGAIN-BIM PLAYING SANTA CLAUS TO THE WORLD-WITH A FLEET OF TRUCKS LOADED WITH GIFTS-
HE IS PAINTING THE TOWN WITH CHEER-
SIDNEY SMITH

GASOLINE ALLEY *Don't miss this feature in colors in The Sunday Post* *Man Trap*


I JUST WANT TO SHOW YOU CHILDREN THIS TRAP I HAVE SET FOR THAT RAT. DON'T STEP INTO IT.
BELIEVE ME I WON'T!
CRACK!
WHO KNOWS ABOUT THIS?
I PUT IT IN TO CATCH SANTY CLAUS.
KING

WINNIE WINKLE, THE BREADWINNER *See the Winkle Family in colors in The Sunday Post* *It's In the Bag*

WILKINS COFFEE PROGRAM
MARGUERITE CROMWELL
Rudolf Schramm & His Music
EVERY TUES., THURS., SAT.

LIST OF RADIO PROGRAMS ON THE ETHER WAVES TODAY

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 24.

WMAL—Washington Radio Forum.
(475.9 Meters. 630 Kilocycles.)

8:00 a. m.—Band Box Review.
8:15 a. m.—Morning Devotions, Mount Pleasant Congregational Church, Rev. Russell J. Clinchy, pastor.
8:30 a. m.—Homer L. Kitt Organ Recital.
9:00 a. m.—Lelia Rudicoff, crooner.
9:15 a. m.—Betty Marshall, pianist.
9:30 a. m.—The Mills Brothers.
9:45 a. m.—Lew Davis and his banjo.
10:00 a. m.—Sally Kit.
10:15 a. m.—Musical Varieties.
10:30 a. m.—Karl Addison and Joe Tripi.
10:45 a. m.—Meyer Davis' Orchestra.
11:00 a. m.—Harmonious Sketches."A Christmas Idea," by Hazel Clark Taylor.
11:15 a. m.—Anglo-Persians Orchestra.
11:30 a. m.—Viola Dickinson, readings.
11:45 a. m.—Von Unschuldt Piano Club.
12:00 (noon)—Robert Ruckman, organist.
12:30 p. m.—Lotos Orchestra.
1:00 p. m.—National Dance Marathon.
1:15 p. m.—Norman Goldman's Orchestra.
1:30 p. m.—Abe Clar, pianist.
1:45 p. m.—Hermann De Bidgell, barytone.
2:00 p. m.—Afternoon Frolickers.
2:30 p. m.—The Sunshine Piano Trio.
2:45 p. m.—Jolly Fellows.
3:15 p. m.—Lena Kash, pianist.
3:30 p. m.—Salon Orchestra.
4:00 p. m.—At Home With the 10 o'Clock Club.
4:30 p. m.—Tea Ensemble.
5:00 p. m.—National Dance Marathon.
5:15 p. m.—Dr. Charles E. Campbell, "The Christmas Lesson."
5:30 p. m.—Fleming Orem, marimba artist, with Bernard Burr, pianist.
5:45 p. m.—News Flashes.
6:00 p. m.—Evening Serenaders.
6:30 p. m.—Adolph Turner, barytone, Christmas Carols.
6:45 p. m.—Chamber of Commerce Forum.
7:00 p. m.—Meyer Davis' Orchestra.
7:30 p. m.—Gretchen Hood, soprano.
7:45 p. m.—Evelyn Monico, concert pianiste.
8:00 p. m.—Lotos Orchestra.
8:30 p. m.—Edwin Singer, barytone, with George F. Ross, pianist.
8:45 p. m.—Jene Sevely, Hungarian violinist, with Marjorie Davis pianist.
9:00 p. m.—Christmas Musicale, played by sextet from National Symphony Orchestra.
9:30 p. m.—Robert Ruckman, organist, with Virginia Sellars, soprano.
10:00 p. m.—The Festilize—Late News from The Washington Post.
10:15 p. m.—National Dance Marathon.
10:30 p. m.—McWilliams Elks Club Orchestra.
11:00 p. m.—Meyer Davis' Arabian Nights Orchestra.
11:30 p. m.—Outdoor Singing of Christmas Carols by Massed Chorus, directed by William E. Braithwaite and Norton M. Little, from steps of National City Christian Church, accompanied by the church chimes.

WRC—National Broadcasting Co.
(316 Meters. 950 Kilocycles.)

6:45 a. m.—Exercises.
8:00 a. m.—Gene and Glenn.
8:15 a. m.—Morning Varieties.
8:30 a. m.—Cheerio.
9:00 a. m.—Tuberculosis Christmas Seals," by Commissioner Reichelderfer.
9:05 a. m.—Morning Glee Club.
9:15 a. m.—Masqueraders.
9:45 a. m.—Land's Pets.
10:00 a. m.—The Vass Family.
10:15 a. m.—Souvenirs of Melody.
10:30 a. m.—Aunt Sue and Polly.
10:45 a. m.—Breen and De Rose.
11:00 a. m.—Melodies of the South.
11:15 a. m.—Radio Household Institute.
11:30 a. m.—Sven Svenson's Sweethearts.
12:00 (noon)—Hessick Correct Time.
12:01 p. m.—Johnny Marvin, tenor.
12:15 p. m.—Jan Wings of Song.
12:30 p. m.—Farmers' Union Program.
1:30 p. m.—National Press Club Annual Christmas Eve Party, speaker, Senator William E. Borah, of Idaho. Carols by National Capitol Choir, broadcast from Press Club.
2:00 p. m.—Entire Opera "La Boheme" broadcast from Metropolitan Opera House.
4:45 p. m.—Concert Favorites.
5:00 p. m.—Annual Lighting of the National Community Christmas Tree in Sherman Square.
5:30 p. m.—Afternoon Varieties.
5:45 p. m.—Secretary Hawkins.
6:00 p. m.—Wardman Concert Ensemble.
6:29 p. m.—United States Weather Forecast.
6:30 p. m.—Wilkins Quarter-Hour, Marguerite Cromwell, soprano.
6:45 p. m.—G. E. Circle.
7:00 p. m.—The Sunshine Girl.
7:15 p. m.—"A Christmas Message," by Louis A. Johnson, national commander of American Legion.
7:30 p. m.—Broadcast from Germany, including the Benedictine Monastery Choir, from Beuron, Germany
8:00 p. m.—"The Messiah."
9:00 p. m.—"Frank Black Orchestra.
9:30 p. m.—Mme. Schumann-Heink.
10:00 p. m.—Lucky Strike Dance Hour.
11:00 p. m.—Schwartz's Last-Minute News.
11:02 p. m.—Shoreham Dance Orchestra.
11:30 p. m.—Paul Whiteman's Chisteians.
11:58 p. m.—Trinity Church Chimes.
12:05 a. m.—Rhythmic Shadows.
12:30-1:00 a. m.—"Oh Ya Ya."

WJSV—Columbia Broadcasting System.
(265.4 Meters. 1,460 Kilocycles.)

8:00 a. m.—Salon Musicale.
8:45 a. m.—Keeping Up With the Times.
9:00 a. m.—Little Jack Little.
9:15 a. m.—Miniatures.
9:30 a. m.—Tony Wons.
9:45 a. m.—Reis and Dunn.
10:00 a. m.—Melody Parade.
10:15 a. m.—Songs of the Out of Doors.
10:30 a. m.—New World Salon Orchestra.
11:00 a. m.—Children's Program.
11:30 a. m.—Concert Miniatures.
12:15 p. m.—Buddy Harrod's Orchestra.
12:30 p. m.—Happy Felton Orchestra.
1:00 p. m.—George Hall's Orchestra.
1:30 p. m.—National Press Club Program. Senator William E. Borah, "Christmas Greeting;" Bascom N. Timmons, National Capitol Choir, directed by Dr. Albert Harned.
2:00 p. m.—Saturday Syncopators.
2:30 p. m.—Salon Orchestra.
3:00 p. m.—The Round Towners.
3:30 p. m.—Rhythm Kings.
4:00 p. m.—Spanish Serenade.
4:00 p. m.—Leon Belasco Orchestra.
5:00 p. m.—Washington Christmas Tree Celebration. A message from President Hoover, United States Marine Band and Chorus.
5:30 p. m.—Skippy, from Chicago.
5:45 p. m.—Keeping Up With Events.
6:00 p. m.—Special Broadcast of Christmas Party at Fourth Precinct Police Station, Lawrence Elliott, announcer.
6:30 p. m.—Riviera Orchestra.
6:45 p. m.—Do, Re, Mi.
6:59 p. m.—Midnight Mass from Church of the Madeleine, Paris.
7:30 p. m.—Meyer Davis Orchestra.
8:00 p. m.—Fray and Braggiotti.
8:15 p. m.—The Magic Voice, Elsie Hitz and Nick Dawson.
8:30 p. m.—Alexander Haas and His Budapest Gypsy Ensemble.
9:00 p. m.—Chesterfield Program, Ruth Etting, "Music That Satisfies."
9:15 p. m.—Edwin C. Hill, "The Human Side of the News."
9:30 p. m.—Ann Leaf, organist.
10:00 p. m.—Dickens' "Christmas Carol."
11:00 p. m.—Dancing Christmas Memories, Morton Downey.
12:00 (midnight)—Carol Service.

WOL—American Broadcasting Co.
(229 Meters. 1,310 Kilocycles.)

7:00 a. m.—Musical Clock.
7:35 a. m.—Police Flashes.
10:00 a. m.—Request Hour.
11:00 a. m.—Yuletide Concert.
11:30 a. m.—Songs We Love.
11:45 a. m.—Representative K. E. Keller, Illinois, on "Conquering Tuberculosis."
12:00 (noon)—Thomas Moss, organ recital.
12:30 p. m.—Accordion Capers by Fran Trappe.
12:45 p. m.—Popular Dance Hits.
3:00 p. m.—Variety Hour.
3:55 p. m.—World Book Man.
4:00 p. m.—Salon Musicale.
4:30 p. m.—Central High School Dramatic Association.
4:45 p. m.—Organ Reveries.
5:00 p. m.—Something for Every One.
5:30 p. m.—Dorothy Reddish, soprano.
5:45 p. m.—Walter T. Holt Studio Program.
6:00 p. m.—Christmas Sing from First Congregational Church.
6:15 p. m.—Nordica Mandolin and Guitar Orchestra.
6:45 p. m.—Tom Collins, jr., program.
7:00 p. m.—Dinner Concert.
7:30 p. m.—News Spotlight.
7:30 p. m.—"Minister Wanted."
7:45 p. m.—Silver String Revelers.
8:00 p. m.—Week-End Varieties.
8:30 p. m.—Central Union Mission Glee Club.
9:00 p. m.—Dickens' "Christmas Carol," Northern Dramatic Company.
9:30 p. m.—Yuletide Concert.
10:30 p. m.—Excerpts from Handel's "Messiah."
11:00 p. m.—Orchestra Gems.
11:30 p. m.—Christmas Carols.
12:00 (midnight)—Midnight Mass from Church of Immaculate Conception.
1:00 a. m.—Merry Christmas and Good Morning.

WBAL—Baltimore—760 Kilocycles.
Synchronized Operation WBAL-WJZ.
(Tune WBAL on WJZ Dial Setting.)

7:30 a. m. to 4:30 p. m.—Programs same as WJZ.

(1,040 Kilocycles.)
WBAL Independent Operation.

4:30 p. m.—The Marionette.
4:45 p. m.—Concert Favorites.
5:00 p. m.—Maurice Sherman and His Orchestra.
5:30 p. m.—Swanee Serenaders.
5:45 p. m.—Little Orphan Annie.
6:00 p. m.—Little German Band.
6:30 p. m.—Inspector Stevens & Son. of Scotland Yard.
6:45 p. m.—Lee Sims and Orchestra.
7:00 p. m.—Fields and Hall.
7:15 p. m.—"Our Vanishing Freedom," by Merle Thorpe.
7:30 p. m.—Cuckoo Program.
7:45 p. m.—Chandu, the Magician.
8:00 p. m.—American Taxpayers' League.
8:15 p. m.—Amos 'n' Andy.
8:30 p. m.—Road to Romany.
9:00 p. m.—Musical Program.
9:30 p. m.—S. R. O.
10:00 p. m.—Whoopee.
10:30 p. m.—The Buccaneers.
10:45 p. m.—Twenty Fingers of Harmony.
11:00 p. m.—Pickens Sisters.
11:55 p. m. to midnight—Night Songs, Lew White, organist.

WLW—Cincinnati.
(700 Kilocycles.)

6:15 p. m.—Old Man Sunshine.
6:30 p. m.—Bob Newhall.
6:45 p. m.—University of Cincinnati "Inventions and Inventions" Series.
7:00 p. m.—Saturday Night Frolic.
7:15 p. m.—Gene and Glenn.
7:30 p. m.—R. F. D., with "Boss" Johnson.
7:45 p. m.—Crosley Program.
8:00 p. m.—Over the Rhine, German Band.
8:15 p. m.—Tony Cabooch.
8:30 p. m.—Los Amigos.
9:00 p. m.—Ernie Palmquist's Dance Orchestra.
9:30 p. m.—The Crosley Follies.
10:00 p. m.—Thelma Kessler and Orchestra.
10:15 p. m.—"The Whole Town's Talking."
10:30 p. m.—Jan Garber's Orchestra.
11:00 p. m.—Doodlesockers, with Sid Ten Eyck.
11:30 p. m.—Larry Funk's Dance Orchestra.
12:00 (midnight)—Greystone Ballroom Orchestra.
12:30 a. m.—Vincent Lopez Orchestra.
1:00 a. m.—Larry Funk's Orchestra.
1:30 a. m.—Jan Garber's Orchestra.
2:00 a. m.—Doodlesockers.

WJZ—New York.
(760 Kilocycles.)

7:00 p. m.—Fields and Hall, comedy.
7:15 p. m.—Christmas Message, American Legion.
7:30 p. m.—The Cuckoos.
8:15 p. m.—Weeks Orchestra.
8:30 p. m.—Romany Christmas.
9:00 p. m.—"Sing, Chillun, Sing."
9:30 p. m.—Dickens' "Christmas Carol."
10:00 p. m.—Pittsburgh Madrigal Singers.
10:15 p. m.—Trimming the Christmas Tree.
11:00 p. m.—"The Toymaker."
11:55 p. m.—Chimes of Old Trinity Church.

Band Concert

U. S. SOLDIERS' HOME BAND ORCHESTRA—5:30 P. M.

March, "Klown Kapers"..... Ball
Overture, "The Hermit's Bell"..... Maillart
Christmas suite, "Around the Christmas Tree"..... Tobani
"From Heaven I Was Sent to Earth; O Come Little Children; Cantique de Noel; O Faithful Pine; Praise to the Lord; Sacred Night, Holy Night; Adestes Fidelis; Tomorrow Will Be Christmas; O Sanctissima; The Clock Strikes the Hour of 12; Passing of the Old Year; Sleighrids and the Return Home."
Gems from comic opera, "The Colah"..... Lecoq
Fox trot, "Have You Forgotten?"..... Suesse
Waltz suite, "Lure of the Night"..... Brahem
Finale, "The Hour of Parting"..... Spollansky
"The Star-Spangled Banner."

BEETLE QUARANTINE LIMIT IS EXTENDED

Maryland and Virginia Zone Among Those Enlarged by Federal Order.

(Associated Press.)

Extension of the Japanese beetle quarantine to cover parts of New Hampshire and Vermont and enlarge the regulated areas in Maryland, Massachusetts, New York, Pennsylvania and Virginia was announced yesterday by the Agriculture Department. The change becomes effective January 1, 1933.

The territory newly added to the regulated area includes parts or all of Kent, Queen Annes, Carolin and Allegany and the cities of Annapolis, Cumberland and Westminster, in Maryland, and those parts of Virginia extending from Fredericksburg north to Fairfax County and from Norfolk to Suffolk and Nansemond Counties, as well as all of Elizabeth City County and the City of Richmond.

At the same time the requirements are changed to provide for an isolated area at Richmond, into which restricted fruits and vegetables may not be shipped from the regulated areas without certification.

"Otherwise no restrictions will be placed on the shipment of fruits and vegetables from that city," the department said. "The infestation at that point is still so light and in the city so far removed from other infested areas that the shipments of fruits and vegetables from Richmond is not believed to involve danger of spread of the bettle."

Although the regulations remain substantially the same, they are modified under the order announced yesterday to provide for the exemption of commercially packed apples from the requirement of certification.

County Churches Arrange Masses

Many Midnight Services in Montgomery Slated by Catholics.

Midnight mass will be celebrated in practically every Catholic church in Montgomery County tonight at midnight. The Rev. Charles R. O'Hara, the pastor, will celebrate the mass at St. Mary's Church in Rockville, assisted by a priest from the Capuchin College, Catholic University. A special musical program will be part of the service, directed by Mrs. Howard M. Blandy. Low masses will be said tomorrow morning at 8, 9 and 10:15 o'clock.

The Rev. Charles O. Rosensteel, the pastor, will celebrate the mass at St. John's Church, Forest Glen, while a priest from Washington will preach the sermon. Frank Yates will direct the special musical program. Low masses will be said at 8 and 10:30 o'clock. Father O'Hara will celebrate mass at 8 a. m., at St. Peter's Church, Olney, which will not have a midnight mass.

The Rev. Father Hevey, of Washington, will preach and celebrate midnight mass at St. Martin's Church, Gaithersburg, with Mrs. Hannah Schwartz directing an elaborate musical program. The pastor, the Rev. John J. Callaghan, will celebrate midnight mass at St. Rose's Church, Clopper. Low masses will be said at St. Martin's at 9 a. m. and at St. Rose's at 8 a. m.

Leesburg High School Publication Is Issued

Special to The Washington Post.

Leesburg, Va., Dec. 23.—Chatterbox, school paper of the Leesburg High School, has made its bow to the public. This paper, which is dedicated to the faculty of the Leesburg High School, the citizens of Leesburg and the graduates of the school, is the first to be published in the Leesburg High School for eight years.

The staff consists of Emory Plaster, jr., editor in chief; assistant editors, Adeline White and Ethel Littlejohn; business manager, George Martin; assistant business manager, Janet Harrison; school diary, Louise Lambert; editor of wit, Philip Thomas; sports editor, Thurston Corbell; assistant sports editor, Roberta Caviness; reporter from second year, Maurice Lowenbach; first year, Frank Raflo; seventh grade, Betty Musgrave.

Special Yule Services At Epiphany Church

There will be a special Christmas program at the Church of the Epiphany beginning tonight at 10:30 p. m., when Christmas carols will be played on the McKim Memorial chimes. At 11 p. m. there will be special Christmas music at which time the Epiphany Church choir will sing the beautiful Christmas cantata, "The Christ Child," by Hawley. This service of music will be followed immediately by the midnight celebration of the Holy Communion.

On Christmas morning there will be the usual celebrtaion of the Holy Communion at 8 a. m., and at 11 o'clock, Holy Communion with special music and sermon by the rector. The regular 8 p. m. service will be held as usual, with special music and an address on "The Spirit of Christmas."

High Cost of Senate Is Target for Economy

The Senate economy committee plans to make a study of the high cost of Senate maintenance as part of its main retrenchment objective, Senator Byrnes (Democrat), South Carolina, announced yesterday following a Senate Democratic caucus.

Senator Walsh (Democrat), Massachusetts, asked the appointment of a special committee to make the study, but Senator Byrnes, a member of the Senate economy committee, assurd him that group plans to go into the matter.

Walsh said he "called attention of Democrats to the fact that their party will take over control of the Senate on March 4, and might show a few economies beginning now." He suggested that the inquiry cover the field of Senate employes, supplies, costs of investigations, funerals of members and other items.

THE NEW CINEMA OFFERINGS

LOEW'S FOX

"CYNARA." Samuel Goldwyn's picturization for United Artists of the stage play by H. M. Harwood and Robert Gore-Brown, adapted to the screen by Frances Marion and Lynn Starling, starring Ronald Colman, with Kay Francis, Henry Stephenson, Phyllis Barry, Paul Porcasi, Vita Tattersall and Blanche Friderici. Directed by King Vidor. Previewed at midnight screening.

By NELSON B. BELL.

Although this is, in final analysis, only another romantic drama suspended from the three points of the familiar triangle, it is a screen play of such admirable construction, such splendid direction and such sane and sound characterization as to provide adult entertainment of uncommon merit.

Its theme is, of course, provocative of conflicting views as to the extent of a wife's duty in the matter of condoning her husband's infidelities, and not all of its logic and argument is necessarily to be accepted, per se, as unassailable, but so expert have the authors been in shaping the course of their drama's developments and so punctilious the players, in observing the utmost abstention from the exaggerations of a shallow theatricalism, that a particularly convincing glimpse of one of matrimony's major problems results.

Jim Warlock, in a moment of lonesomeness, occasioned by his wife's seemingly greater anxiety over the social relationships of her younger sister, whom she has accompanied from their London home to England, erred on the side to too great a sympathy and too gentle a nature. His love of his wife never wavered. His character as an honorable young barrister and his deportment as a gentleman neither crumbled nor faltered. He was guilty of no evasions, no subterfuges, no attempts at escape from the penalty of his partial responsibility for the girl's impetuous suicide. His career, nevertheless, was ruined; his home was disrupted; his virtual exile from everything he cherished ordained.

What was his wife's duty? Did her husband by one transgression become an unclean thing, unfit for her further love? Was his character so defiled by a grim trick of circumstance as to ostracise him from respectable contacts among his fellow men for good and all? Or was he, as he had always been, still decent at heart, kindly, compassionate, honest and brave?

These are the knotty problems which the authors give the wife to solve—not for the sake of an abstruse and dreary debate; not as an excuse for shady innuendo and the dubious juggling of prohibited topics, but in the name and to the glory of intelligent, thoughtful and highly diverting drama, skill fully contrived to provide a quickening of the heartbeat and a stimulating prodding of the mental faculties. No matter how good, or bad, or indifferent a stage play "Cynara" may have been, it has been converted into a screen subject of the first order.

Ronald Colman dominates the movement of practically every scene in the play, with the possible exception of that brief but cogent interval in which Henry Stephenson, reenacting the character he created on the stage, sheds new light upon an enigma that is old to wives. Both contribute performances of extraordinary worth, but Mr. Colman, inspired, no doubt, by his greater opportunity, offers a portrayal that is uncompromisingly right and at times positively great in its simplicity and power.

Kay Francis fairly shares honors with Mr. Colman and Mr. Stephenson and in Phyllis Barry, the young English actress, who assumes the role of temptress with a wholly disarming charm, has a youthful rival worthy of her art. Parts other than these are strictly secondary.

The Christmas stage bill is one of abundance and a high standard of excellence. Gautier's Toy Shop, in which the toys come to life as well-trained dogs and ponies, is an ideal selection to open the bill. Bert Frohman, assisted by Madelyn Kileen, a blonde singing comedienne, and a male accompanist, steps out as an "act," instead of a master of ceremonies, and gets over nicely. Arthur and Florence Lake, youngsters from the films, work largely from the orchestra pit in informal fashion and are hugely liked—as they deserve to be. Buck and Bubbles, the colored gentlemen of piano, song, dance and jest, stop the show cold in its tracks. Lina Basquette and her ten-piece band, however, not only succeed in thawing it out, but almost set it on fire. This is a Basquette full of tricks, if you know what I mean—and you probably won't until you see her!

"Kamennoi Ostrow," the best of Phil Lampkin's overtures to date, spectacularly staged; Mickey Mouse cartoon, "Mickey's Good Deed," and the newsreel complete a program fit to hang on anybody's Christmas tree.

COLUMBIA

"RACKETY RAX." Fox picturization of the story by Joe Sayre, adapted to the screen by Ben Markson and Lou Breslow, starring Victor McLaglen, supported by Greta Nissen, Nell O'Day, Stanley and Fields. Directed by Alfred Werker. Reviewed Friday night by J. F. Brady.

Victor McLaglen hits a fast pace in this "Rackety Rax" and keeps things moving in laugh-producing sequences to a surprising and laughable climax. It is a picture well worth seeing, one which gives a burlesque slant on racketeers, built on true modernistic settings, and packed full of good, clean humor, put over in splendid style.

Victor McLaglen, as McGloin, is the head of the McGloin Enterprises, Inc., the big, overbearing "boss," who knows what he wants, and goes after it. He is the one who started his particular racket on boxing, dives in on other schemes and finally hits upon football as the best racket of all.

Greta Nissen, as Voine, the girl who puts the feminine touch to the business, handles her work well, while Nell O'Day, as Doris, plays the part of the girl whose presence requires all others to scram.

In all gang stories, when the other chief edges in on anothers territory, trouble begins, and so it is in "Rackety Rax" when Gilotti (played by Stanley Fields) works his gang in a section controlled by McGloin.

The McGloin Enterprises are running smoothly until election puts in politicians who are out for reform. And so at this stage of his prosperous business he opens up a wonderful establishment, ostensibly on the level, catering to charity, with all its various departments, shown modernistically, including welfare, aid, school, publicity, etc. At a football game, McGloin gets the idea he'd like to try that as a racket and so he buys a college. Around this racket is built the real crux of the story—and it is a scream. Of course, Gilotti finds this out, he too goes in for that racket and under an assumed name matches the football team of his Lake Shore University against that of McGloin's Canarsie team.

Lupe Velez smiles at the furious flow of flowery hokum continuously spouted by Lee Tracy in the role of the high-powered young press agent in "The Half Naked Truth," based largely on the life of Harry Reichenbach, opening at RKO-Keith's on Christmas Day. An epic of adjectives!

EARLE

"LAWYER MAN." Warner Brothers' picturization of Rian James' and James Seymour's story, starring William Powell, supported by Joan Blondell, Helen Vinson, Alan Dinehart, David Landau, Sheila Terry and Kenneth Thompson. Directed by William Dieterle. Reviewed Friday night by Dorothea Lewis.

Reminiscent in characterization and intent, though not in actual plot, of "Counsellor at Law," which is coming to us legitimately in March, "Lawyer Man" is a thoroughly interesting, amusing and workmanlike production with the actor William Powell on view for half its length and the charming William Powell the rest of the way. It's a nice Christmas present.

William Powell has been too long content with what-the-well-dressed-man-will-wear roles and though even these bear the stamp of sincerity and reality when he essays them, we have missed his very real and well-remembered talent. For the first portion of "Lawyer Man," Powell regales us with a very slick, deft and chuckling characterization, and then he seems to shed it when he sheds his East Side clothes. We like his mannerisms and grimaces better than his polish.

Law, with most of the arguing outside the courtroom, is the basis of this rather different picture. It tells the story of a poor East Side counsellor-at-law who moves to the West Side, remembering his law but forgetting his counseling; is knocked from his successful heights on the forty-seventh floor of an "exclusive" sky-scraper office building, scrambles back again by hook and crooks, only to step down voluntarily and return to East Side lawyering in ill-fitting, unpressed suits.

Joan Blondell is her usual pert and cute self, a little too pert, perhaps, and not so perty (it's the Christmas cheer), with her blond hair looking very like an O-cedar mop. The rest of the cast, a large one, is made up of many familiar names, each doing his or her task full justice.

The Tasty Yeast Jesters head the stage portion of the bill with some very swell and toe-tapping harmony, but we certainly would not call these three radio lads, Pep, Vim and Vigor, not when we can see their easy, lazy style of attack. They attempt no over-the-footlights personality projecting but sing all manner of pleasant singing into their familiar microphone.

Neville Fleeson introduces, in novel fashion, three talented young ladies in "Musical Episodes;" Violet, Ray and Norman go through a difficult athletic routine; and Colette Lyons and George Snyder complete the bill with something-or-other entitled "Static."

Maxine Doyle celebrates the holiday season with some very lovely dresses.

PALACE

"MADAME BUTTERFLY." Paramount filmization of the original story by John Luther Long and the play by David Belasco, music from the opera by Puccini, featuring Slyvia Sidney, Cary Grant, Charlie Ruggles and Sheila Terry, with Louise Carter, Edmund Breese, Sandor Kallay, Irving Pichel and Dorothy Libaire. Directed by Marion Gering. Reviewed Friday night by M. A. McKavitt.

Never will we forget the superb performance of lovely Sylvia Sidney in the role of "Cho-Cho-San" in this tragic love story of an exquisitely beautiful geisha girl's devotion to a lieutenant of the U. S. Navy. John Luther Long's poignant narrative was adapted to the stage and made famous by Belasco; Puccini used it in his opera, whose music enhances this drama. And now Hollywood has produced a work of cinematic art in this presentation of "Madame Butterfly." Nothing is left undone to draw out the powerful emotional sweep that is necessary in the dramatization of this type of tragic romance.

How easily might it have been overemphasized, but we congratulate Mr. Gering, the director, for the balanced restraint and intelligence he used in this production. While congratulations are in order, we commend, also, the fine work of David Abel, whose photographic effects were handsomely accomplished.

You are acquainted, no doubt, with how a naval officer marries a geisha girl he discovers in a Japanese tea house; how he teaches her American slang, and how prettily and naively she uses it; how she throws down the gods of her forefathers and begins to believe in her husband's God; how careful she is for his comfort; how he leaves her thinking she will easily forget him and marry again, and how she patiently waits with their son for three years for his return, and the ensuing tragedy when he comes back with an American wife.

Sylvia Sidney deserves utmost praise for the excellence of her deep, emotional acting. It is tremendously moving.

Cary Grant, as the handsome officer, makes the best of a difficult part while his breezy pal, Charlie Ruggles, as usual, very capably injects an excellent brand of comic relief into the movie. Louise Carter, as Suzuki, the maid, also does well in a comedy role. The remainder of the cast played without faltering, Edmund Breese and Sheila Terry offering outstanding characterizations.

And so, we rank this show, which lacks none of the essentials of good drama, an artistic triumph. Do not miss Sylvia Sidney, we urge you, in her masterpiece.

Walt Disney's "Silly Symphony" cartoon in color, "Santa's Workshop," is another artistic accomplishment, a fantasy that is both charming and clever. The kiddies will be wide-eyed when they see St. Nick actually manufacturing his toys with the help of "the wee small men." Tom Howard in "A Vest With a Tale" was a rather luke-warm comedy. The Metrotone News finished off a delightful evening at the cinema.

Virginia Taxation Returns Improve

Reports by Montgomery, Tazewell and Orange Brighten Picture.

Richmond, Va., Dec. 23 (A.P.).—State tax returns from three counties, received today by State Comptroller E. R. Combs, brightened up the picture, he said. They showed delinquencies much below the average of counties hitherto reporting.

The counties reporting today were: Orange, reporting a collection of $23,832.52 out of a total assessment of $28,464.26; Tazewell County reporting a collection of $26,151.41 out of a total assessment of $38,300.44; Montgomery County reporting a collection of $12,213.40 out of a total assessment of $22,833.68.

The tax returns were on assessments on individual incomes, intangibles and capitations.

Christmas Services At St. Andrew's Church

At St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, New Hampshire avenue, at V street, on Christmas Day there will be Holy Communion at 8 a. m. and Holy Communion and sermon at 11 a. m., the rector, the Rev. A. J. Wilder, S. T. B., officiating.

The children's Christmas celebration will be held at 9:30 a. m., led by the church school vested choir.

The children's Christmas party will be held on Tuesday night.

Then it is that the real gang hatred comes out, the laughs pour forth and in the climax—you'll be surprised.

"Rackety Rax" is a good holiday picture.

Supporting the feature is an excellent Paramount News, a cartoon and an "Our Gang" Comedy.

Virginia Reports Roads In Shape for Christmas

Richmond, Va., Dec. 23 (A.P.).—The State Department of Highways today reported that the State's roads, generally, are in good condition for the Christmas holiday traffic.

Practically all of the snow of last week is gone, and only a few sections reported construction in progress. Travelers over the Richmond-Washington highway were cautioned to watch the widening coinstruction, which now is under way.

Suspect's Mystic Power Tames Manhunting Dogs

Gulfport, Miss., Dec. 23 (A.P.). Officers sent a bloodhound out to catch Fred Hoffman and now they are looking for the hound, too. They believe Hoffman, an alleged burglar, has made friends with their prize manhunter.

Hoffman was captured but led officers to a swamp on a pretense of disclosing accomplices in the robbery of a hardware store. He ducked into the tall timber when he reached the swamp.

After the first bloodhound failed to return officers sent another into the swamp, but it came back looking rather crestfallen and they are wondering what power Hoffman holds over Mississippi's best trackers.

EIGHTIETH DIVISION MEN GIVEN AWARD

Colonel Makes Presentation of Purple Heart Medal at Alexandria.

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James C. Rush, Melvin Pones, Harry B. Myers, Kemp L. Rush and Turner J. Anderson, all members of the Eightieth Division while serving in France in 1917-18, were presented with the award of the Purple Heart last night at exercises held in the Elks Auditorium, presided over by Capt. James Sidney Douglas, jr., who was commanding officer of all these men with the exception of James C. Rush.

Col. William H. Waldron, executive officer of Militia Bureau, War Department, and former chief of staff of the Eightieth Division, made the presentation and gave an address at the opening of the program. Special guests on the stage were Mayor Edmund P. Ticer, Mrs. L. L. Spofford, Virginia State president of the American War Mothers, and Mrs. Norman L. Williamson, president of the Alexandria Chapter. Letters were read from Secretary of War Hurley and Gen. Adelbert Cronkhite, former commander of the Eightieth, expressing regrets at being unable to attend.

Col. Waldron spoke on the training days at Camp Lee, Petersburg, Va., where everything was done in a few days to make amends for years of unpreparedness and lack of training. In speaking of the entrance of this country into the conflict he said that up to July 18, 1918, there never was an hour but what the fate of France and the fate of the British Empire hung in the balance, and if it had not been for what the American troops did in France, the story would be very different. The Americans saved the life of the French nation.

He said the assemblage was to do honor to men who served in the Eightieth Division, and who were wounded, and that Gen. Douglas MacArthur had requested the War Department to revive the Order of the Purple Heart, first instituted by George Washington for men wounded in action, and revived this Bicentennial year for the first time. It ranks just under the Distinguished Service Cross and the Distinguished Service Medal.

The official film of the United States Signal Corps, "Flashes of Action," was shown prior to the presentation.

The various charitable, civic and fraternal organizations of Alexandria are busy caring for the poor of the city with groceries, fuel, and candy and toys for the children. The United Charities, the Kiwanis Club, the Salvation Army and the church organizations have prepared baskets of food and it is believed that not a single deserving poor family of Alexandria will lack for Christmas cheer.

The Kiwanis Club this afternoon will distribute 150 baskets of clothing, toys and candy, under the direction of Roger C. Sullivan. The Alexandria Lodge of Elks will deliver 150 baskets of groceries. The United Charities has a selected list of families to whom will be delivered orders for groceries and fuel. Many requests for aid have been received by this body and no worthy cases have been refused.

The Catholic Daughters of America on Thursday afternoon staged an entertainment for 150 poor children at Lyceum Hall. Santa Claus was present in person and distributed candy and toys.

Miss Sara Ruben, 204 South St. Asaph street, Alexandria, was struck and seriously injured Thursday night by an automobile driven by W. O. Merriman, of 719 King street. She was taken to the Alexandria Hospital and treated for a broken nose and injury to her eye. Investigation of the accident will be made when she is able to appear in court.

Christmas will be ushered in at St. Mary's Catholic Church by the singing of carols by the choir under the direction of Miss Ella Hill, beginning at 11:30 o'clock. At midnight the Christmas mass will be chanted by the three priests, the Very Rev. Father Rankin as celebrant, the Rev. Father McFadden as deacon, and the Rev. Father Jergens as subdeacon. Schnecker's Mass in F will be rendered by the choir, Mrs. Robert F. Downham, Miss Christine West and Richard Schoeni taking the solo parts. Thirty-five altar boys will wear new surplices and cassocks for the first time, these being Christmas presents from the church.

Bond Is Allowed Watts in Slaying

Former Hyattsville Jailer Freed to Be Treated at Walter Reed.

Lee C. Watts, former keeper of the Hyattsville Jail, and who is charged with murder of the son of the chief deputy sheriff, yesterday was released on $10,000 bond in order that he may go to Walter Reed Hospital for treatment.

Watts' release was secured on a writ of habeas corpus initiated by his attorney, J. Frank Lillard, after two doctors reported he needed hospital treatment. A previous application for habeas corpus had been denied. The former jailer's bond was posted by five of his Hyattsville neighbors.

Watts is accused of murdering Thomas V. (Honey) Garrison on November 7. Garrison, son of Chief Deputy Tom Garrison, was shot as he stood at the top of stairs leading to the jail in the basement of the county building in Hyattsville. The former jailer's service during the Spanish-American War entitles him to treatment at Walter Reed.

Herndon Tonight Has Community Yule Tree

The Chamber of Commerce of Herndon, Va., will sponsor a community Christmas tree tonight in the Washington and Old Dominion Park at Herndon. Forty baskets of food will be distributed to needy persons of Dranesville Magisterial District, of Fairfax County. Private automobiles will bring the needy families to the celebration.

Mrs. Annie Robey Walker will lead the singing of Christmas carols. The committee in charge of the program includes Edgar E. Gillette, chairman; T. Edgar Reed, L. Berger, W. W. McClincy and Arthur H. Buell.

ARLINGTON SALARY QUIZ IS POSTPONED

Three County Officials Will Be Away for Holidays; State Hearing Waits.

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With three Arlington County officials to be out of the county for the holidays indications are that the invitation extended to appear before the State Fee Commission next week to discuss a recent increase in the base salary rates in two of the county officials would not be accepted at this time.

Chairman of the Board Harry A. Fellows, who leaves today for the southern part of the State, stated last night that, although he has not yet received the invitation, he felt that it would be necessary to decline even should he receive it before leaving today. County Manager Roy S. Braden has gone to his former home in Pennsylvania and does not expect to return until after January 1. County Auditor Elmer Newell has left for Florida to spend the week. Mr. Fellows stated that he did not expect to return until next Friday in time to attend a meeting of the board to be held that night.

Members of the Ku Klux Klan of Ballston, without robes, will visit the homes of more than 25 families in Arlington County tonight, where they will leave baskets of food for the Christmas dinner and toys where there are children.

Working late last night and expecting to continue today and tonight, Mrs. Mae E. Jacobs, superintendent of the Arlington County Welfare Board, was delivering baskets of food and toys to the needy children of the county.

Contributions of students of the Washington-Lee High School filled many of the baskets which were distributed at the county community Christmas celebration at the school Thursday night.

The Arlington County Monarch Club held its annual Christmas party last night, bringing happiness to 35 children and 10 families in the parish hall of St. George's Episcopal Church at Clarendon.

Public Welfare Head To Play Santa Claus

Mrs. Eleanor W. Aud, superintendent of public welfare in Fairfax County, Va., and her volunteer assistant, will play Santa Claus to several hundred needy persons today and tomorrow. An effort is being made to see that less fortunate children are remembered Christmas morning. In response to an appeal of Mrs. Aud, clothes, toys and other necessities have been received at the welfare office in Fairfax from individuals and students of the various schools. The broken toys were turned over to the Fairfax troop of Boy Scouts, who have repaired them. Students of Madiera School near Great Falls sent Mrs. Aud more than 500 gifts for the children.

About 200 baskets of food donated by individuals and organizations will be distributed in time for the Christmas dinners. The Rotary Club of Fairfax donated 25 baskets of food. The club also voted to serve pot soup to undernourished children in four public schools the next three months.

"Makins" for Holiday Cheer Taken by U. S.

Raw materials for quite a lot of Christmas cheer failed to reach Washington yesterday because two Federal agents stopped a van and its cargo of 55 cans of alcohol on the Baltimore boulevard and arrested two men found on the truck.

The men, sent to the Marlboro Jail on a charge of possession, were Norman Brown and Belford Lonemaker, both of Washington. They refused to give local street addresses, however. Yesterdays' arrests were the first move in a drive by Federal authorities on the liquor traffic on the boulevard. Reports that such an offensive was planned have beenn current for several days.

Catholics Plan Special Fairfax County Masses

Catholic churches of Fairfax County, Va., have arranged for special Christmas services. Midnight mass will be sung in the St. Mary's Church at Fairfax Station. The choir will sing "Leonard's Mass in B," under the direction of Miss Mary Hammill.

Midnight mass will also be celebrated tonight in the St. James' Catholic Church at Falls Church, and the other services will be tomorrow morning at 7:45 and 10 o'clock. Special music has been prepared for the services. At St. Anthony's Church, at Baileys Cross Roads, the Christmas mass will be sung at 8:30 o'clock tomorrow morning.

FILM TIME TABLES

Feature pictures are presented on the following schedule at the theaters named:

Metropolitan—"Silver Dollar," at 11:35 a. m., 1:35, 3:35, 5:35, 7:35 and 9:36 p. m.

Loew's Fox—"Cynara," at 1:25, 4:20, 7:15 and 10:10 p. m. Stage shows at 12:15, 3:10, 6:15 and 9 p. m.

Earle—"Lawyer Man," at 11:40 a. m., 2:10, 4:40, 7:25 and 10 p. m. Stage shows at 1:05, 3:35, 6:25 and 8:55 p. m.

RKO-Keith's—"The Sport Parade," at 12:43, 2:51, 4:32, 6:13, 7:54 and 9:45 p. m.

Palace—"Mme. Butterfly," at 11:15 a. m., 1:20, 3:25, 5:30, 7:35 and 9:45 p. m.

Columbia—"Rackety Rax," at 11:40 a. m., 1:25, 3:05, 4:50, 6:30, 8:10 and 9:55 p. m.

Tivoli—"The Crooked Circle," at 2, 4:05, 6:10, 8 and 9:50 p. m.

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BABE DIDRIKSON TO TURN PRO DESPITE ACQUITTAL

Grid Coaches Pleased by New Code

Ban on Flying Tackle May Be Lone Object of Criticism.

Minority May Seek to Restore Thrills for Fans.

NEW YORK, Dec. 23 (U.P.).—The Nation's football coaches are expected to express general satisfaction with the 1932 rule changes at their annual meeting here next week, although a minority may try to bring back the flying tackle.

It is doubtful if any reversals or modifications will be recommended for the six changes which the rules committee adopted this year to make the game more safe.

Considerable discussion of the flying tackle is expected because about one-fourth of the coaches favor its return. They say it will make the game more spectacular and aid weaker teams.

Claim Rule Removed Fans' Thrills.

Previously a player had been permitted to leave the ground any distance from the ball carrier in making the tackle. He could make thrilling dives of 7 or 8 feet. But under the new ruling the tackler can not leave the ground more than 1 yard from the carrier.

Opponents of the rule claim that it has removed many thrills that the spectators enjoyed, and that it prevents weaker teams from diving over opposing line men to smother plays. They maintain that it works to the advantage of elevens with stronger lines.

Coaches in general are satisfied with the rule preventing use of the hands in shoving, except when the body is in motion on a charge. Previously line men had been able to stand pat and punch opposing players with the heel of the palm, causing many injuries and much hard feeling on the field.

Flying Wedge Ban Meets Approval.

The ban on the flying wedge likewise has met with country-wide approval. When Team A is kicking off, five players on Team B must remain within 5 yards of their 40-yard line when the ball is kicked. This prevents the five players from joining others on Team B to make a flying wedge for the ball receiver as he races up the field. The rule prevents many injuries.

No attacks on the fiving block are expected. Most coaches believe that blocking is more effective when the player is on his feet than when in the air.

There has been some dissatisfaction with the rule making a player "down" when one knee touches the ground. Opponents claim it slows up the game. However, most coaches see no difference in the speed of play, and regard it as a great safety measure, because it prevents pitting-on to prevent crawling.

The sixth change—that of requiring playing equipment to be padded to prevent injuries to opposing players, also has worked out well, and little or no dissatisfaction has been expressed.

Greenleaf Would Bet $2,500 on Self

Offers Foe One Point for Every Dollar Wagered on Match.

New York, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Ralph Greenleaf, world's pocket billiard champion for the twelfth time, today issued an open challenge to any player to meet him in a 10,000-point handicap match for a side bet of $2,500 or less, Greenleaf to give his opponent a point for every dollar bet.

Under the terms of the challenge Greenleaf thus would give a challenger posting the full limit bet 2,500 points.

Erwin Rudolph, Greenleaf's leading challenger for the world title for several years and champion in 1930, was believed ready to accept the offer.

Tentative plans for the match, if and when one is scheduled, call for it to be contested in several different cities.

Greenleaf won his twelfth title in the championship just closed here, winning all his nine games without being pressed. He also scored the high run of the tournament, 106 balls. Rudolph finished in a tie for second place with Jimmy Caras, of Wilmington, Del., and Andrew Ponzi, of Philadelphia, each with six victories and three defeats.

Sale of Springfield Hockey Team Complete

New York, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Lester Patrick, president and manager of the New York Rangers, of the National Hockey League, today announced that the disposition of the players of the defunct Springfield Indians, of the Canadian-American circuit, had just about been completed.

The players have been disposed of as follows: Gordon Pettinger, Rangers; Willie Starr, New York Americans; Alfie Moore and Phil Perkins, Cleveland, of the International League; Jimmy Arnott and Leud Palm to Regina, in Western Canada; Clint Smith, to Saskatoon, in Western Canada, and Vic Des Jardins, to St. Paul, of the American Association.

Patrick said that Norman ("Dutch") Gainor probably would go to Ottawa, of the National circuit, but that he had been unable to reach Gainop, who is visiting relatives on Long Island, to find whether the terms Ottawa offered were acceptable.

Roy Riegels' Reverse Run Of 1929 Recalled as Rose Bowl Game of 1933 Nears

With the 1933 Rose Bowl game only ten days distant, the famous California-Georgia Tech battle of 1929 is herewith recalled. The article is written as of the date of the game.

ROSE BOWL, Pasadena, Calif., Jan. 1, 1929 (U.P.).—A chunky, blue-jerseyed gridiron player is digging his cleats into the turf. He is headed for a goal line. But no cheer is coming from the fans who are watching the California-Georgia Tech New Year's Day game.

A low and growing rumble is the only noise. It is an ominous sound caused by the excited whispers of the spectators who realize what the runner does not—that he is dashing for the wrong goal.

The determined sprinter is Roy Riegels, center and captain-elect of California, and the 65 yards he traveled cost his own team the game.

It is early in the second quarter that Riegels makes his big mistake.

California, the best team on the coast this year, has outplayed the strong Tech team during the first period, although the Golden Bears have not been able to score.

Missell Starts Run.

Tech is in possession of the ball on its own 35-yard line in the second quarter, when Warner Mizzell, flashy half, starts around his own left end with the ball. He is tackled hard and as he goes down the ball squirts from his arms and goes bounding into a group of players.

Brown-haired Roy Riegels has a reputation as an extraordinary ball hawk and sure enough it is Riegels that bounds out of the pile-up with the ball under his arm.

He takes a half dozen steps toward the Tech goal, then turns directly to midfield when he sees he might be run out of bounds. There still are tacklers all around him.

Riegels half turns as a Tech man glances off his leg. He disappears from sight. Now we see him again, streaking in the wrong direction.

Confused by the fumble, his deliberate change of direction and the turning impact of a tackler, he has caught a glimpse of a goal and heads for it, hoping to score for the team he is to captain the next year.

Behind him comes Benny Lom, one of the greatest and speediest half backs California ever had. Lom realizes Riegels is going the wrong way, he tries to catch him to turn him about. Behind Lom, led by Peter Pund, Tech's 185-pound all-American center, came a half-dozen of the Golden Tornado. They, too, realize Riegels' error and seek to capitalize on it.

Finds Self at Wrong Goal.

Lom is finally overtaking the slower Riegels near the 5-yard line. But Riegels is across the goal before he finally is persuaded by his teammate that is at the wrong end of the field, 100 yards from where he intended to be.

Riegels and Lom turn as a man. They can take only few steps be-

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ALEXANDRIA VICTIM OF CENTRAL

Shore and Tipton Are Stars as Virginians Bow, 48-16.

Special to The Washington Post.

ALEXANDRIA, Va., Dec. 23.—Central brought its preholiday campaign to a close here tonight, with a 48-16 victory over the local high school tossers in a game too one-sided to be interesting. It was the tenth consecutive triumph for the visitors who are undefeated.

Only the stellar work of Harold Chilcotte, forward, saved the Twins from virtually being whitewashed. Chilcotte came ahrough with four goals from the field and made good on as many tries from the 15-foot mark, scoring 12 of Alexandria's points.

Another Central star flashed in the basket ball firmament as Carroll Shore, hitherto handicapped by a football injury, ran wild against the locals, tallying seven field goals and a brace of fouls for 16 points; Ollie Tipton was second on the list with ten.

Central's smooth attack, a varied assortment of bullet-like passes, pick-offs and block plays, completely baffled Alexandria. Coach Bert Coggins rushed his second stringers into the fray in the second half and they, too, found the home team easy pickings.

Central.	G	FG	P	Alexandria.	G	FG	P
Shore,lf	7	2	16	Nugent,lf	0	0	0
Smithen,lf	0	0	0	McMenamin,lf	0	0	0
Burke,rf	2	0	4	Chilcotte,rf	4	4	12
Gregorio,rf	2	0	4	Hudson,c	0	0	0
Moulton,c	2	2	6	Williams,c	0	0	0
Melincove,c	0	0	0	Kaus,lg	0	2	2
Tipton,lg	5	0	10	Embrey,lg	1	0	2
Nau,lg	1	2	4	Jackson,rg	0	0	0
Bryant,rg	1	0	2	Clift,rg	0	0	0
Pistolas,rg	0	0	0				
Totals	21	6	48	Totals	5	6	16

Referee—Tulloch.

5 Macks Play Santa To Charley Gelbert

Philadelphia, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—World series rivalries of 1930 and 1931 were forgotten today as five Philadelphia Athletics players acted the role of Santa Claus to Charley Gelbert, St. Louis Cardinal shortstop, recuperating in a hospital here from gunshot wounds self-inflicted accidentally while hunting a month ago.

To Gelbert's surprise and pleasure, Eddie Collins, Jimmy Foxx, Jimmy Dykes (who goes to the Chicago White Sox next season), Lew Krausse and Jim Peterson trooped into Charley's room with an armful of presents and best Christmas wishes for an early recovery. Toy "shotguns," candy canes and baseball games were among the gifts.

Gelbert, for whom Mrs. Gelbert is going to have a Christmas party in his hospital room Sunday, also announced receipt of gifts from many of his team mates and former team mates.

In return for his presents from the A's, Charley sent greetings to Connie Mack, who celebrated his seventieth birthday today.

Curtis, Navy B Squad Star, Is Awarded Prize

Special to The Washington Post.

Annapolis, Md., Dec. 23.—Midshipman Robert W. Curtis, first class, Detroit, Mich., has been declared the winner of the prize offered by the class of 1928, to that member of the senior class, who, by his spirit and character while serving as a member of the "B squad," did most to promote football at the academy. The prize is a pair of marine binoculars in the discretion of the recipient.

Curtis was a member of the "B squad" for the last three years and captained its team last fall. While an aggressive player, he never quite made the varsity grade.

PANTHERS HAVE MASCOT.

Los Angeles, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Miss Gloria Stuart, Wampas baby star of the Hollywood screen, today was elected by Pittsburgh alumni of Southern California as the mascot of the Panther football team at the annual Rose tournament game at Pasadena January 2.

COLLEGE BASKET BALL

At Minneapolis—Minnesota, 27; Nebraska, 25.
At Lafayette, Ind.—Purdue, 36; Notre Dame, 31.
At Bozeman, Mont.—North Dakota U., 35; Montana, 29.

GALLAUDET WINS OVER WILSON

Brown Leads as Blues Take Rough Game by 34 to 27.

GALLAUDET COLLEGE'S flashy basket ball squad all but pulled a tartar in Wilson Teachers last night at Gallaudet Gym, but had sufficient stretch drive to win out by a score of 34-27 and thus keep its record clean for the young season, having beaten Maryland State Normal in an earlier battle.

Led by the irrepressible Capt. George Brown, Gallaudet pulled away from the stubborn attack of the visitors in the second half, after Wilson had tied the count 5-5, 7-7, 8-8 and 10-10 in the initial period.

Game Is Plenty Rough.

It was the roughest game of the college season to date. Besides wholesale tumbling about and bouncing off the walls of the cramped Gallaudet Gymnasium, the game was marked by the sad loss of one tooth by Bones Courtney, lanky Wilson forward, and former Eastern High courtman.

The Blues drew away to a score of 24-15 by reason of a spurt just after the start of the second half in which it rang up 17 points to 4 on the part of the eventual losers.

With two victories under its belt Gallaudet will go in for bigger and better things next Friday night when it meets Columbus U. at Tech.

In a preliminary game last night the Junior Varsity lost to Swann's Service sandlotters, 24-19.

Gallaudet.	G	FG	P	Wilson Tchrs.	G	FG	P
Brown,f	6	2	14	Courtney,f	5	1	11
J.Davis,f	3	0	6	Fisher,f	4	1	9
Burdette,c	1	2	4	P.Fox,c	0	2	2
Rayhill,g	3	2	8	Emlich,g	2	0	4
Kosiar,g	0	0	0	Kerwin,g	0	1	1
Antila,g	0	2	2	Jill,g	0	0	0
Totals	13	8	34	Totals	10	7	27

Referee—O. Mitchell.

Caras Wins Second Place in Cue Meet

Youth Beats Rudolph and Ponzi in Billiard Tourney Playoff.

New York, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Young Jimmy Caras, Wilmington, Del., sensation, captured second place in the national pocket billiard championship tournament tonight by defeating Andrew Ponzi, of Philadelphia, in the third and decisive game of a three-cornered play-off series.

Caras, who had defeated the third contender, Erwin Rudolph, of Cleveland, this afternoon, 125 to 81, conquered Ponzi, 125 to 94, in 20 innings. He turned in a high run of 35 to 30 for his opponent.

Second place carried with it a cash prize of $2,800 and a 14 per cent cut in the gate receipts, estimated at $500.

Rudolph defeated Ponzi, 125 to 81, in the second afternoon match and finished in third place, Ponzi falling to fourth, the same position he occupied at the close of last year's tournament.

Aside from Greenleaf's clean sweep through nine rivals, Caras' play was the outstanding feature of the tournament. This 22-year-old phenomenon was playing in his first championship tournament and performed like a veteran.

Notre Dame's Streak Halted by Purdue Five

Lafayette, Ind., Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Purdue kept its basket ball victory string over Notre Dame intact here tonight, winning a rough house contest from the Irish, 36 to 31.

The defeat also snapped the Notre Dame list of consecutive net victories, which had reached nineteen in two seasons.

The Boilermakers piled up a 16-to-7 advantage at the half, but in the second period the Irish grabbed the lead at 28 to 27 with seven minutes to play.

Dutch Fehring, center, and Harry Kellar, veteran forward, then put on a spirited finish to win.

ONEGA TOSSERS BOOKING.

Onega 130-pound quintet is seeking a game for Monday night with a strong team having a gym. Call Manager Louis Every at Lincoln 1329.

U. S. to Send Ryder Cup Team

Jacobus Says Money Is Ready for Pros' British Invasion.

8-Man Team Not Yet Selected; List Open to Youngsters.

NEW YORK, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—The Professional Golfers' Association has the money and already is considering the men for the Ryder Cup golf matches in England next June, said George R. Jacobus, U. S. G. A. president, today in dispelling any doubt as to whether the international golf classic would be held this year.

"As early as last November," Mr. Jacobus said, "we advised the English authorities we would send a full team over to play the matches and we would have $10,000 in the treasury, 'earmarked' for that specific purpose.

"All this talk that economic difficulties might cut down the size of the team or that we were selling golf balls to raise the money is just so much 'baloney.'

To Send 8 Men, Alternate And Amateur.

"We're going to send a team of eight men, an alternate, and a manager. Despite the lower traveling and living costs, we're going to send them over in the style to which they have been accustomed with $1,000 as expense money for each of them."

Jacobus disclosed that a new method of selection is being used this year, with the 25 heads of the P. G. A. sectional organizations given a voice in the selection of the team. Their opinions will be canvassed by the executive committee and the team selected on the basis of the regional voting.

No team, tentative or otherwise, has been selected as yet, Jacobus said, and the final selections will not be announced until late in February, after the returns are all in from the winter circuit.

Lists Still Open To Youngsters.

The early tournaments have shown no definite trend as yet, he said, and if some youngster should come along to "burn up" the late winter and spring events, the lists will stay open to allow his inclusion.

The team which will be sent over will play the Ryder Cup matches at Southport June 26-27 and then compete in the British open championship beginning July 3, where Gene Sarazen will defend the title he won last year.

Junior Net Stars To Play for Title

Hecht Defends Crown in Tourney Starting on Tuesday.

New York, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Marco Hecht, of the University of Pennsylvania, the defending champion, heads the seeded list for the national junior indoor tennis championships, opening here next Tuesday, it was announced tonight.

Seeded behind the champion, in order, are Richard K. Hebard, Hill School; Giles Verstraten, Kelvin School; Bernard Friedman, University of North Carolina; John Nogrady, St. John's College, Brooklyn; Daniel Freedman, City College, New York; Willard E. Ingalls, jr., and Sumner Rodman, both of Harvard.

All told, the field includes 64 players.

Alfred L. Jarvis, of Hackley School, heads the seeded players for the boys' championship to be held in conjunction with the junior. Lyman W. Crossman, jr., Burnash School, is seeded No. 2; Carl G. Nesbitt, jr., McBurney School, No. 3, and Charles T. Mattman, West Side T. C., No. 4.

Derby Date Is Set For Saturday, May 6

Louisville, Ky., Dec. 23 (A.P.).—The Kentucky Derby will be run Saturday, May 6, during nineteen days of racing at the 1933 spring meet at Churchill Downs here, from April 29 to May 20.

Announcement of the dates and that the $50,000 added money Derby and all stake races will be run as usual, and for the same purses, was made today by M. J. Winn, executive director of Churchill Downs after a directors' meeting. The dates of the spring meet are subject to approval of the State racing commission, which will be asked at its next meeting to award them.

Pitt to Begin Heavy Work In Drills

Sutherland Planning Strenuous Sessions at Tucson.

Pessimism Grows at Showing of Trojan-Irish Films.

TUSCON, Ariz., Dec. 23 (A.P.).—With only nine days left, Coach Jock Sutherland went to work in earnest today to build up a football machine which he hopes will crumble the walls of Troy.

Three or four days of strenuous work and then a gradual "tapering off" were planned by the University of Pittsburgh mentor to prepare his men for the Rose Bowl game against Southern California in Pasadena January 2.

A hard grind, he said, is required to overcome the excess weight and sluggishness which has crept upon the players in the break in training which followed the close of the regular season.

This morning the Panthers were turned out on the grounds of the Desert Hotel, 5 miles from here, where they have made their headquarters, for light exercises. This afternoon they went to the University of Arizona gridiron here for the first of the heavy practice sessions mapped out by Sutherland.

Sutherland Spends Morning Golfing.

Sutherland and James Hagan, assistant director of athletics, spent part of the morning on a golf course.

The sun broke through the clouds during the forenoon, indicating possible fair weather for the rest of the week.

Sutherland and his men last night saw a play picture of the Notre Dame-Southern California game, and the Pittsburgh coach said he was "very much impressed" by the Trojan playing. The players who accompanied the coach described "Cotton" Warburton, Southern California quarter back, as a "whiz." Brown and Smith, tackles, also received high praise from the players.

"Southern California appears too powerful for us," was Sutherland's comment, "but we'll give them a real fight."

Tucson, Ariz., Dec. 23 (A.P.).—There are no "four horsemen," nor even one horseman on the University of Pittsburgh football squad.

Ten of the players slipped from their hotel this morning while Coach Sutherland was engaged, and went horseback riding.

Warren Heller, who plunges opposing lines fearlessly, was described by his mates as "scared to death" in his first attempt to ride.

The lark ended abruptly after John Luch, reserve full back, was dismounted unceremoniously, landing on a cactus. He was pricked a bit, but not injured seriously.

Caretakers then demanded their horses, politely informing the players the animals were being treated too roughly.

Sutherland issued orders for no more horseback riding.

Trojan Coach Grooms Reserve Quarter Backs

Los Angeles, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—The reserves took the brunt of today's workout as Coach Howard Jones sent his University of Southern California gridsters through their last football drill of the week in preparation for the game with Pittsburgh at the Rose Bowl January 2.

Tomorrow and Christmas Day will constitute the Trojan team's vacation, with much work ahead the early part of the final week.

Jones spent much time today with his third string players, particularly two substitute quarter backs, Garland Matthews and Haskell (Inky) Wotkyns.

While the first and second squads ran through signals, the remainder of the 37 players, all of whom reported this morning in good condition, were worked on defense against hypothetical Pitt plays.

The Trojan board of strategy is somewhat up in the air about what to expect from the Panthers in the way of formations. Cliff Hurd, who has spent most of his autumns of recent years watching Coach Pop Warner's Stanford elevens, dragged out a notebook full of Warner formations and set up some possible plays from these, for the edification of the team, but whether his guesses are right probably will not be known until January 2, at Pasadena.

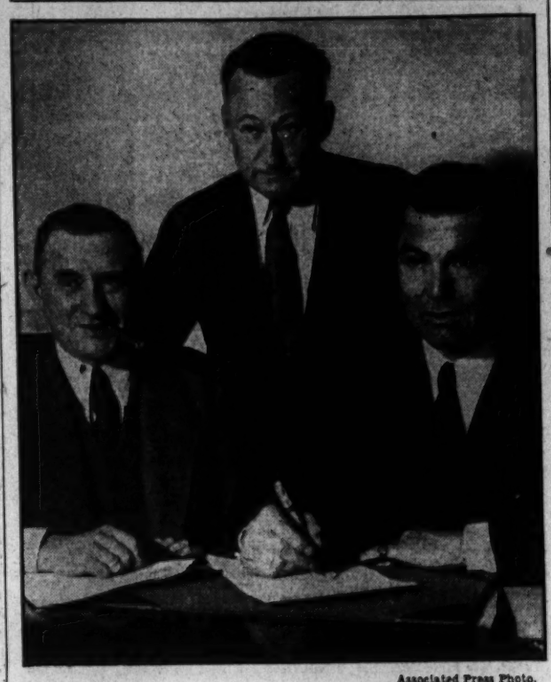
POST MORTEMS . . .

Jimmy Erwin, who is promoting one Cowboy Phelps in these fistic regions, once promoted a fight between a lion and a bull at Juarez . . . and who said the lion was the head man of the beasts? . . . the bull won in seventeen minutes, and a crowd of 6,000 cheered el toro . . . Les Kennedy, who fights Bob Godwin at Portner's next week, drew 25,000 on the Coast in a bout with Paulino . . . The Eagles, self-styled District basket ball champions, were beaten by the Sholl amateur team in a practice game recently . . . Agua Caliente offers $5,000 to the bettor who can pick the winners of the seven daily races, with a $2 investment required . . . Goose Goslin's .299 average will be taken into consideration when Mr. Griffith mails the 1933 contracts . . . Lefty Grove may not lead the league in effectiveness next season when he has to face Al Simmons for the first time during his big league career.

The new Congress will include William I. Traeger, representative-elect from California who 30 years ago was a star tackle at Stanford . . . Senator Hayden, of Arizona, was a teammate of Traeger.

Ked Barry will join Max Schmeling's tour in which Jack Dempsey will play a refereeing role . . . Manager Dick Mothershead, of the Sholl team, is negotiating with Duke University for a game in Washington . . . a gentleman named Hetzler is Washington's only professional ticket taker . . . he may be seen at the turnstiles of sports events of every description ranging from the A. A. U. basket ball tournament to the Auditorium's wrestling shows . . . and he loves his work.

Dempsey in Promotorial Role



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The signing of articles for the Max Schmeling-Max Baer 15-round bout in June with Jack Dempsey as the promoter is pictured above. At left, Joe Jacobs, Schmeling's manager. At right, Dempsey. Standing, Ancil Hoffman, manager of Baer.

Sports Fans Demanding Better Entertainment for Less Money, Poll Shows

(This is the sixth of a series of stories on results of 1932 Associated Press sports poll on subjects of general interest.)

By ALAN GOULD
(Associated Press Sports Editor).

NEW YORK, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—A "chooser" attitude by American sports fans, compelling promoters to produce better entertainment for less money, stands out as the leading development of the closing year, on the basis of opinions expressed by the country's sports experts in the 1932 Associated Press poll.

As one Midwestern sports editor expresses it: "The fans today no longer are lured only by the announcement of 'fight tonight' or 'football today.' He must be assured a real show for his money. The real shows alone drew big money in the recent football season."

Amateurs Now Playing To the Public.

The returns show widespread recognition that "the average sports fan now wants more for his dollar than ever before." Observers throughout the country not only cite the enterprise of professional talent in giving the public what it wants but point out that amateur organizations, including the colleges, are doing the same thing to keep football, in particular, off the financial shoals.

Linked with this, of course, are the policies of general retrenchment, noted especially in the East, and the country-wide lowering of admission for all sports.

Year's Trends Summed Up.

Summed up, here are the year's major trends, as indicated by expressions in the Associated Press canvass:

1. Better sports "shows," to meet more discriminating demand of fans.
2. General economy in operations, coupled with reduced ticket prices.
3. Rules legislation to safeguard or improve football and basket ball.
4. De-emphasis of college football, stressing team play.
5. Decline of minor league baseball.
6. More individual participation, especially in less costly sports.
7. Increase in golf play, coupled with reduced expense and more public links.
8. Slump in professional boxing, especially in Middle West.
9. Development of more interest and proficiency in girls' athletics.
10. Progress in some professional sports, especially wrestling and football.

East and West Hold Different Opinions.

One of the striking contrasts in opinion involves college football. Where a number of Eastern observers see striking evidence of "de-emphasis," including less commercialism, less proselyting and fewer athletic scholarships for star players, others in the West discern more of the so-called "evils" in existence than ever.

For example, an Illinois sports editor points to "the perfection of a powerful proselyting system" in amateur athletics, generally, and "the fire it has drawn from its opponents." Another cites the "trend toward the business end in intercollegiate athletics," and, in the Rocky Mountain area, an observer emphasizes this development: "Continued and increasing avariciousness of colleges and universities as evidenced in their commercialization of football."

Southwest Notes Amateur Trend.

In the Southwest, to offset declines inprofessional baseball and boxing, a healthier trend is noted in amateur athletics as well as "participation in sports which demand little expense." One sports editor finds "tremendous increase in the number of hunters and fishermen, with golf, tennis and bowling holding up well."

One of the conspicuous developments noticed on the Pacific Coast is "the desire of amateurs in most every line of athletic endeavor to gain some of the emolument of the professional athlete." It is added that "hypocrisy is slowly but surely being purged from amateurism," and another observer notes the unusual number of amateurs who have turned to professional pursuits, including Babe Didrikson, Eddie Tolan, Eleanor Holm, Buster Crabbe, Fay Coleman and scores of college football stars.

Ruth Starts Gym Work, Scaling 229

Measurements Compare Favorably With Last Year's Figures.

New York, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Babe Ruth, baseball's greatest slugger, dropped into Artie McGovern's gym today for the start of his annual off-season training efforts.

He was weighed, measured, photographed, fingerprinted and announced in as fine winter condition as he has been in the past five years.

The Babe's weight, 229 pounds, is a trifle above that of last winter, but far below his bulbous seasons of 1925, 1927 and 1928, when the clouting king scaled, respectively, 256, 251 and 244 pounds before starting his reducing exercises. His normal playing weight is above 220 pounds.

The remainder of the Babe's measurements compared favorably with those taken last winter when he also reported to McGovern in fine shape.

The Babe's measurements, compared with those of last winter and 1925:

	Jan. 17, 1925.	Jan. 6, 1932.	Dec. 23, 1932.
Weight	256	229½	229
Neck	17½	15¾	16
Chest normal	43	41	41
Chest expanded	45½	43	47
Waist	40¾	38	39
Hips	47	40	41
Thigh	25	23	22
Calf	16½	14¾	15
Bicep	13½	13¾	13¾
Forearm	12	11	11½

A. A. U. Code Is Flayed by Dallas Girl

350 Pages of "Do's and Don'ts" Cited by Olympic Star.

Reinstatement Not to Affect Plan to Turn Professional.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Refusing to say what her plans for the future were, except that she is "heading West," Mildred (Babe) Didrikson, famous girl athlete, reaffirmed her intention of turning professional here today, and then dropped out of sight.

The Olympic star left here this morning on a Chicago-bound train, but was missing when the train arrived in Chicago this afternoon.

During her brief stopover here she was asked her destination.

"I'm going West," she said.

"Do you realize you are on a Chicago-bound train?" a reporter asked.

"I'm going West," she smilingly insisted.

Says A. A. U. Decision To Have No Effect.

In a written statement to reporters, she said she saw the announcement of her reinstatement in the Southern A. A. U. in the newspapers and that it will not affect her plans for turning professional, which "are nearing maturity."

"Not until this last week-end did I realize what a terrifying business it is to maintain oneself in good standing in the A. A. U.," she said in the statement. "Being an athlete and being a member of the A. A. U. are two quite different things. I'm not sure which is the most difficult."

She said she read the A. A. U. rule book for the first time this last week-end and was "amazed to discover there are some 350 pages of regulations and do's and don'ts."

Babe Has Turned Camera Shy.

Miss Didrikson said she was perfectly satisfied with the turn of events.

Since her trouble over an automobile advertisement bearing her picture, which caused her suspension, Miss Didrikson has turned camera shy.

It took coaxing to persuade her to pose for a picture and she did so only after scrutinizing the background for advertising signs. Finding nothing which might lead to further complications, she posed willingly.

A. A. U. Official Reveals Pathetic Plea of "Babe"

New Orleans, Dec. 23 (U.P.).—Just a kid who went crazy over a car.

That was the comment of Lawrence Di Benedetto, the "Uncle Benny" of Southern amateur athletics, as he revealed tonight the story behind Mildred (Babe) Didrikson's bolt from amateur athletics.

"Babe loved athletics," the chairman of the Southern A. A. U. registration committee, said. "She was absolutely innocent in this case."

He reached into his desk and produced a letter.

"This came Tuesday from Babe. It is the most pathetic letter I've ever seen. Listen to this:

"'Please, Uncle Benny, you've just

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Washington's Finest Men's Wear Store

Today! "Courtesy" Day!

After-Christmas Sale Prices Now Effective

$29.50 & $25 Hart Schaffner & Marx Suits and Overcoats $19.75

$35 & $31 Hart Schaffner & Marx Suits and Overcoats $23.75

$50 & $45 Hart Schaffner & Marx Suits and Overcoats $33.75

HANAN Shoes, were $10.50 to $16.50 . . $8.85, $9.85, $10.85

KNOX Hats, were $5 to $15 . . . $3.85 to $7.85

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FLYING DON WINS THIRD STRAIGHT AT JEFFERSON PARK

Gilbert Rides 2 Winners For Day

Brings Total to 203; Mills Is Shutout in Jockey Race.

Flying Don Pays Only $2.40 for Meeting's Lowest Mutuel.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—John J. Robinson's Flying Don, fleet 3-year-old son of Master Charlie—Sue Donovan, rang up his third successive victory of the Jefferson Park meeting today.

The Robinson gelding outclassed the field in the fifth and featured race, a 6-furlong claiming dash for 3-year-olds and up, to win by four lengths, eased up. He was the shortest-priced winner of the meeting, paying only $2.40 for $2 in the mutuels.

Jockey L. Hardy got the gelding away well and let him run into a long lead. Tarpon and Tennywood took up the early chase, but weakened and gave way to the veteran sprinters, Chianti and Burnside, which finished in that order behind the winner. Flying Don ran the distance over a very slow track in 1:14 4-5.

Gilbert Runs Total To 203.

Johnny Gilbert ran his total winners for the season to 203. Hank Mills failed to increase his total of 194.

After going winnerless yesterday, John Gilbert got back into his stride with the running of the opening contest in which he piloted the $10.60 for 2 shot Jack Bierner to that gelding's second straight at the meeting. The veteran plater beat Pacheco by a length in a drive, while Dandy Dan lost the place by a neck. Gilbert rated the winner close to the pace to the stretch, where he caught and passed the tiring pacemaker, Dandy Dan. Pacheco finished powerfully, but Gilbert held Jack Biener together to the end.

Donate Wins With Gilbert Up.

Gilbert completed a double astride the heavy favorite, Donate, in the third contest.

Donate was clearly the class of the field, scoring by a good three lengths to pay $4.20. Alcove took the place from Red Vest by one and a half lengths. Elkhart tried to race with the winner but dropped entirely out of it after a half mile and Alcove closed like fury when it was too late.

HARVARD CHESS WINNER.

New York, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Harvard today won the annual tournament of the Harvard-Yale-Princeton-Dartmouth College Chess League, defeating Dartmouth, 4-0, in the third and final round. Dartmouth placed second.

Yale, defeating Princeton, 2½ to 1½, was third, while the 1931 champion Tigers brought up the rear.

FRIENDS ALUMNI BOW.

Friends School Alumni tossers were defeated by the varsity by a score of 25-16 in a game yesterday. Close guarding by both teams slowed up the first half, which ended with the teams deadlocked at 5-5. Fairbanks led the Alumni in scoring while Eakin was the best of the regulars.

Friends.	G	FG	P	Alumni.	G	FG	P
Osborne,lf	0	1	1	Fairbanks,lf	4	0	8
Busby,lf	1	0	2	Anderson,lf	1	0	2
Clark,rf	3	0	6	Phillips,rf	1	0	2
Davis,rf	0	0	0	Dodge,rf	0	0	0
Eakin,c	5	0	10	Legg,c	1	1	3
White,lg	2	0	4	Carpenter,c	0	0	0
May,rg	1	0	2	Caldwell,lg	0	1	1
				Robertson,rg	0	0	0
				Ruth,rg	0	0	0
Totals	12	1	25	Totals	7	2	16

Referee—Wannan.

GALLAUDET RESERVES LOSE.

Swann.	G	FG	P	Gallaudet Res.	G	FG	P
Jarvis,lf	0	0	0	Montgom'y,lf	2	0	4
Mitchell,rf	3	2	8	McConnell,lf	1	0	2
Cossette,c	5	0	10	Layne,rf	3	0	6
Smyrnas,lg	1	0	2	Crockett,rf	0	1	1
Hodgson,lg	0	0	0	Burnette,c	0	0	0
Neri,rg	2	0	4	Rountree,c	0	1	1
				Ragsdale,lg	0	0	0
Totals	11	2	24	Davis,lg	0	0	0
				Kowal,rg	1	1	3
				Lodner,rg	1	0	2
				Totals	8	3	19

JEFFERSON PARK ENTRIES.

(Associated Press.)

FIRST RACE—One mile and 70 yards; purse, $400; claiming; for 2-year-olds.

1 Axen Lad	108	12 Thistle Wise	108
2 Girl Graduate	109	13 Prince Canbar	111
3 Toytown	107	14 Miss Delight	103
4 Concierge	111	15 Princess Queen	105
5 Hugue	106	16 Red Fellow	106
6 First Regim't	106	17 Le Ministre	110
7 Honor Bound	106	18 Voltesta	103
8 Well Shod	105	19 Hek	106
9 Sizzling	112	20 Catino	111
10 Baigneuse	107	21 Polaire	108
11 Volwood	115	22 Walter, jr	108

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs (chute); purse, $400; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1 *My Compan'n	108	12 Anne Arundel	110
2 Noon Play	113	13 Grantor	109
3 Burgoo	118	14 Clare Bee	106
4 *Grand Baby	104	15 *Fort Worth	111
5 Ad Remmcon	113	16 Buster B	112
6 Toltec	113	17 Principio	113
7 Balthasar	113	18 Dacite	113
8 *Loys Ormont	101	19 Most Wise	114
9 Black Darling	113	20 *Cherokee Girl	105
10 *Forget Not	111	21 Preferred	108
11 Panchio	116	22 *Laven. Lady	101

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs (chute); purse, $400; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1 Gallop Along	109	12 Jaz Age	113
2 *Tombereau	108	13 Bubsy C	110
3 Zode	109	14 *St. Mica	101
4 *Bay Rose	101	15 *Bide a Wee	107
5 *Lady Menifee	105	16 *Barashkova	106
6 Motive	106	17 Highland Fling	110
7 Lorraine S	106	18 *Copper	108
8 Dick Chevely	113	19 Chipola	109
9 Iskum	109	20 Analyst	109
10 St. Jim	116	21 Morsun	116
11 *Prin. Carolyn	105	22 *Wega	105

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs (chute); purse, $400; claiming; for 2-year-olds.

1 Clift.'s Queen	110	12 Last Bid	107
2 Nuhat	107	13 Parkersburg	110
3 Easter Parade	110	14 Br't Chestnut	110
4 Bianoz	112	15 Nomin	107
5 Harold, jr	113	16 Modesto	111
6 Wars End	110	17 Joe Macaw	110
7 Figuriste	107	18 Artistry	110
8 Princess Octa	107	19 Air Wise	110
9 Jean Brown	109	20 Ben Bernie	112
10 Sunny Sideup	109	21 Miss Careful	109
11 Copley Square	111	22 Jerry S	110

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs (chute); purse, $400; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1 *Miss Peggy	102	6 Donate	107
2 *Bill Looney	111	7 Durva	113
3 Song Hit	111	8 Camp Boss	118
4 *Smear	105	9 *Ante Bellum	107
5 Zekiel	115		

SIXTH RACE—One and one-eighth miles; purse, $400; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1 Mozart	113	12 Ricciardo	107
2 *Daddy Nelson	105	13 Ingle Nook	101
3 *High Storm	105	14 Pomfret	110
4 *Outcry	108	15 Riff Raff	110
5 Laftar	110	16 *Bag o' Gold	99
6 *Watch Girl	107	17 Garrick	110
7 Make Believe	110	18 Tiger Flowers	110
8 *Union W	105	19 Rocky Way	110
9 *Har. Scarum	107	20 Kelso	110
10 Dick Porter	110	21 Tight Rope	100
11 Piecemeal	101	22 *Uncle Si	105

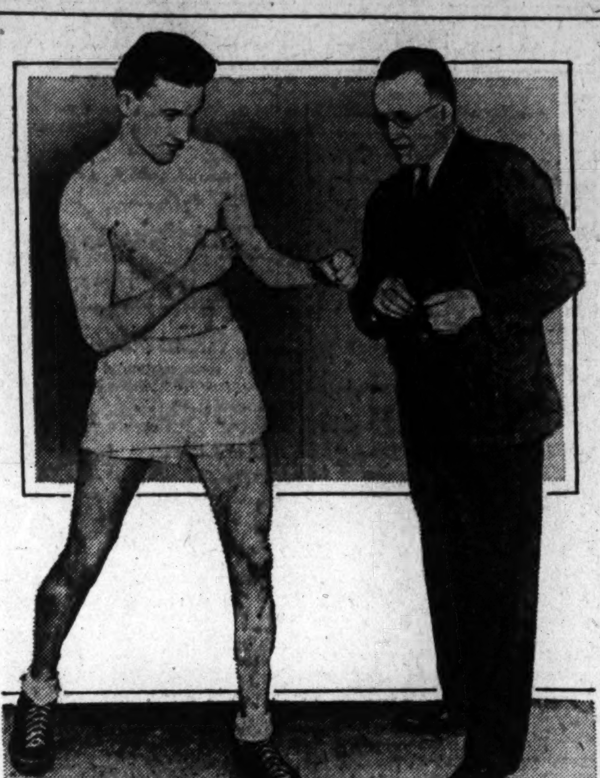
SEVENTH RACE—One and one-eighth miles; purse, $400; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1 *Paula L	104	12 Herb Ashby	110
2 *Kyoo	102	13 Portmess	111
3 *North. Water	105	14 Domina	109
4 Happy Lad	112	15 *Mint Magi	108
5 Lucky China	105	16 *King Luke	99
6 *Lady Viola	102	17 *Baltimore	107
7 *Drast. Water	107	18 *Bill Seth	105
8 Mad Play	110	19 Deserve	104
9 *Prince Reno	97	20 Bobby Powers	110
10 *Ed Reese	108	21 Lawful Gamble	99
11 Vole	110	22 *Cupidity	102

*Apprentice allowance claimed.
Weather, threatening; track, slow.

In Dad's Footsteps

Young Jack Gibbons Gets Some Expert Advice



With his famous father, Mike Gibbons, and an equally illustrious uncle, Tommy Gibbons, to show him how, Young Jack should in time cut a wide swath through the professional ranks. The fond parent is showing him how to get set to throw a left hook, or something.

ST. PAUL, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Pugilistic success seldom is handed down from father to son, but young Jack Gibbons is banking on an extra heritage as he begins his march toward ring honors.

In addition to his father, Mike Gibbons—the "phantom" of bygone days—Gibbons has an uncle who acquired his share of ring fame—Tommy Gibbons, who fought Jack Dempsey for the heavyweight crown at Shelby, Mont.

Both father and uncle are contributing their pugilistic wisdom as young Jack keeps up a strenuous training program.

Tommy, who was outstanding as a boxer, was in his corner at his second local fight, when the youngster found what it feels like to be floored. Jack picked himself up as the bell rang ending the third round and came back in the fourth and final round to win a newspaper decision.

"Maybe I'll be ready in two years, maybe three, but I have the feeling that if I go at this development patiently and intelligently I may accomplish something," the youngster says.

"If I can develop some of my father's speed and skill and my uncle's ability to keep in shape I may get somewhere, but I guess it is up to me."

Neither of the elder Gibbons held major titles, but both succeeded in making and keeping fortunes earned in the ring. Both now are business men in St. Paul. But the pugilistic development of young Jack is one of their principal avocations.

AT THE POST

with Bill Bennings

DEAR AL (You rascal you): JEFFERSON PARK, DEC. 23.

Last chance for the Christmas roll and believe me, boy, if you haven't a good start don't be telling me your troubles. Four winners yesterday ran my total for the week to thirteen and I wasn't represented after the scratches in a couple of races. Four straight feature race winners to my credit. Today, Jack Biener, Donate, Flying Don and Vonnie all went to the post with the Bennings stamp of approval. I have been deep in the book tonight in an effort to close the week with a high average and it is with a feeling of confidence that I turn them over to you to play or not to play, as you see fit.

WHATAMAN BILL.

FIRST RACE—VOLWOOD has all the earmarks of a Gilbert mount in the opener and after his recent winning effort might take the measure of this better field. SIZZLING and CATINO for the rest.

SECOND RACE—PANCHIO is a consistent animal and deserves a top ranking in this group. Packs plenty of speed and needs only a capable ride. TOLTEC and BURGOO appear ready to hold the others safe.

THIRD RACE—I'm sticking to ST. JIM. Demonstrated his ability the last time out and seems capable of carrying that top weight to victory. MOTIVE and JAZ AGE for the place and show awards.

FOURTH RACE—BIANOZ shapes up well in this sprint and I would not be surprised to see a set of brackets aboard when this one is led back to the stable. MODESTO and NOMIN appear to be the ones to cause the most trouble.

FIFTH RACE—Jack killed the giant, once upon a time; therefore I feel justified in picking DONATE to upset the class scheduled to start in the feature. Gilbert rode this one home today to an easy victory, showing a return to that splendid New York form. May be sent back tomorrow for a killing. CAMP BOSS has the edge in figures. SMEAR to show.

SIXTH RACE—HARUM SCARUM won here and is reported fit for another speed excursion. WATCH GIRL is a busy gal and should place ahead of RIFF RAFF.

SEVENTH RACE—ED REESE gets my call in the final over PAULA L. HAPPY LAD may run back to one of his good races and give them all a jolting.

Aberdeen Just Won't Believe Leo Lomski Stole Some Milk

By HERBERT LUNDY.

ABERDEEN, Wash., Dec. 23 (U.P.).—This hard-boiled seaport city rallied 'round tonight to spunge a stain off the record of a leading citizen—Leo Lomski, the "Aberdeen assassin."

Round-faced, hard-punching Lomski, idol of every youngster and red-blooded man in town, even if he didn't quite win the world's light-heavyweight boxing title, was thrown into jail over a can of milk.

But there apparently wasn't a man, woman or child in Aberdeen tonight who really believed the "assassin" had stolen the milk from Peter Hanson, Satsop farmer—not even if the can found in Leo's car was the one stolen.

The officers who reluctantly clanged the cell door spoke regretfully of the incident and amitted "Leo tells a purty straight story."

Some of them who talked to the irate farmer before he left town said he wasn't so mad, now, and they didn't think he would do much about it.

Leo was freed on $100 bail and went home to his wife and child, but George Anderson, who was arrested with him, remained in jail.

"What would I want with 10 gallons of milk?" queried Leo.

"Anderson came up to Bremerton after me. It was getting along toward morning on the way home and I went to sleep in the back seat. I didn't wake up until we came through Montesano and the car skidded on a bridge. I though maybe George had been drinking a little so I took the wheel. When we got into Aberdeen the cops stopped us. That's all I know about it."

Farmer Hanson filled in the gaps. He said he was up early as usual and saw a car stop at his milk rack. He said the men loaded in a 10-gallon can of milk and drove away. He got in his own car and followed them.

There was a wild chase. That made Peter mad. He roused Sheriff Jeff Bartell at Montesano and had the Lomski car stopped at Aberdeen. There in the back seat was his 10-gallon can of pure satsop milk.

Whether or not Leo took the farmer's milk, just as many fans as ever, they declared tonight, will drive up to Portland New Year's Day to see Leo mix it up with Guido Bardelli, known as Young Firpo, the Idaho miner.

THE POST'S CONSENSUS AT JEFFERSON PARK

The following consensus has been compiled by The Post from the selections of the leading handicappers of the turf. The figures show how the selections were rated.

CONSENSUS OF LEADING HANDICAPPERS

First Race.	Second Race.	Third Race.	Fourth race	Fifth Race.	Sixth Race.	Seventh Race.
Sizzling (26)	Panchio (36)	Jaz Age (23)	Modesto (15)	Camp Boss (29)	Outcry (16)	Paula L. (23)
Volwood (15)	Burgoo (17)	Tombereau (20)	Bianoz (15)	Bill Looney (11)	Riff Raff (12)	Portmess (15)
P. Canbar (8)	Balthasar (8)	Barashkova (9)	Figuriste (12)	Smear (11)	H. Scarum (12)	Ed Reese (11)

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Volwood	Panchio	St. Jim	Bianoz	Donate	Harum Scarum	Ed Reese
Sizzling	Toltec	Motive	Modesto	Camp Boss	Watch Girl	Paula L.
Catino	Burgoo	Jaz Age	Nomin	Smear	Riff Raff	Happy Lad

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Sizzling	Panchio	Jaz Age	Bianoz	Ante Bellum	Make Believe	Paula L.
Red Fellow	Burgoo	Tombereau	B. Chestnut	Durva	Outcry	Ed Reese
Le Ministre	Toltec	St. Jim	Jean Brown	Bill Looney	Harum Scarum	Prince Reno

TURF STARS GATHER AT HIALEAH

All Sections Represented; Miami Meeting Opens Jan. 19.

MIAMI, Fla., Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Stables of the Eastern Seaboard, from Kentucky and from the Pacific Coast will be among newcomers to winter racing who will make their Florida premiere at Hialeah Park here at the meeting starting January 19 and ending March 11.

Stall space for 1,093 thoroughbreds, representing every leading stable in the country, has been assigned.

The smoothly groomed racing plant of the Miami Jockey Club opened for winter training with the arrival of the first thoroughbreds, December 1.

In keeping with the times, admission prices have been severely trimmed for the winter meeting. Grandstand admission has been reduced from $2.50 to $1 and clubhouse admission from $5.50 to $4.

Con Amore, Dark Hope To Race.

Among newcomers to the Hialeah Park track as sports lovers enjoy their second season of legalized pari-mutuel wagering in the State, will be J. W. Y. Martin, of Baltimore, who will race Con Amore, a good performer; Dark Hope, stake winner at Arlington Park last summer, and others under Trainer A. Hutchins.

Gold Step heads the stable of nine runners representing S. H. Fairbanks, of Hyde Park, Mass. Gold Step won inaugural handicaps at both Arlington Park and Washington Park.

The Audley Farms, owned by Montfort Jones, of Berryville, Va., will be represented in the coming season for the first time on a Florida track by 25 horses under Trainer Key Spence. Included in the stable are Late Date, Knight's Call and Woodcraft, as well as several Florida Derby candidates.

E. R. Bradley, master of Idlehour, Lexington, Ky., will have a stable of ten in his first entrance into Florida winter racing.

Charles T. Fisher, automotive company executive, of Detroit, and master of Dixiana, near Lexington, Ky., will have a stable of 24 racers under Trainer Clyde Van Dusen, including Cee Tee and Ess Eff.

Marsch to Race String.

Another Western stable making its first appearance at Hialeah Park is that of John Marsch, Chicago contractor, whose stable of twenty, under Phil Reuter, will include Chief John, Camp Prince, Camp Boss and Prince Atheling.

W. H. Whitehouse, of Cincinnati, will make his Florida debut with a stable of ten, headed by Royal Julian, under Trainer Lon Johnson.

Hal Price Headley, of Lexington, one of the more successful breeders of the Blue Grass section, will invade Florida, with his Technique leading a stable of ten.

Another newcomer will be Leo J. Marks, whose Le Mar Stock Farms, of Lexington, Ky., will send nineteen horses to Hialeah Park, including Morsel, Mouthpiece and Misguide.

Ben Creech, of Seattle, who recently resigned as trainer for W. R. Coe, is making his Florida premiere with a stable of eight of his own horses.

Steele Faces Judson In Next Mat Feature

Ray Steele, who is still objecting vigorously to the decision which gave Strangler Lewis a win over him three weeks ago in New York, returns to the Washington Auditorium next Thursday night to meet Frank Judson in a bout which will head a card of five or so exhibitions.

Efforts were made to get Gino Garibaldi to meet Steele, but the rugged Italian is still ailing from an injury inflicted upon him by Abe Coleman Wednesday night.

The remaining bouts on the card will be signed today.

HEADQUARTERS WINNER.

Klaben led the attack of the Headquarters Detachment five in its 40-36 victory over the Mohawks last night. He scored 24 points. The winners want games with 145-pound teams. Phone Hafferman at Adams 5339.

Hq. Detach.	G	FG	P	Mohawks.	G	FG	P
Mortimer, lf	3	0	6	Thorn, lf	4	0	8
Marcus, rf	3	0	6	J. Sasnett, rf	2	0	4
Hafferman, c	2	0	4	Smith, c	6	0	12
Klaben, lg	12	0	24	N. Sasnett, lg	4	0	8
E.Batting, rg	0	0	0	Dashier, rg	2	0	4
Totals	20	0	40	Totals	18	0	36

Referee—Atkins.

CLOVERS TRIM TAKOMA.

Clovers.	G	FG	P	Takoma.	G	FG	P
Esenstadt,lf	3	0	6	Toler,lf	3	0	6
Fineran,lf	8	0	16	Vandercook,lf	1	0	2
McVean,rf	4	0	8	Henley,rf	1	1	3
Genderson,c	4	0	8	L.Wilkins,c	4	0	8
Canavin,lg	2	0	4	King,c	1	0	2
Morgul,lg	2	0	4	Frieda,lg	7	0	14
Garges,rg	3	0	6	Drake,rg	4	1	9
Totals	26	0	52	Totals	21	2	44

Referee—Zola.

NEIGHBORHOODS WIN.

Griffiths.	G	FG	P	Neigh. House.	G	FG	P
Gordon,f	5	1	11	Tomardy,f	1	0	2
Bernstein,f	1	2	4	Lewis,f	1	0	2
Nimetz,c	0	0	0	Morton,f	0	0	0
Weinstein,g	1	0	2	Walter,f	1	0	2
Katz,g	0	0	0	Smith,c	2	1	5
Tomz,c	0	0	0	Ey,c	2	0	4
Borton,g	0	0	0	Cline,g	0	0	0
Barthalong,c	0	0	0	Greene,c	0	0	0
Reiver,c	0	0	0	P.Schwaner,c	1	1	3
				J.Schwaner,g	1	0	2
Totals	7	3	17	Totals	9	2	20

EAST-WEST GRID SQUADS AT WORK

Kerr and Handley Name Tentative Back Fields.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Football's annual parade of East-West all-stars in this section, began today when the teams that will hit the touchdown trail for charity January 2 turned out for opening practices.

The West squad worked out briefly this morning while the East's gridiron delegation took over Kezar Stadium for a session in the afternoon. The first training drills were given over mostly to the newspapermen and photographers.

Regular practice will begin tomorrow on two widely separated fields. Coaches Andy Kerr of Colgate and Dick Hanley of Northwestern, in charge of the Eastern team, will take their crew to Stanford University tomorrow, while the Westerners, coached by Dana X. Bible, of Nebraska, and Orin Hollingbery, of Washington State, move over to the University of California field at Berkeley.

West Has Light Work.

The West's session consisted mainly of kicking the ball and running back punts. Coaches Kerr and Hanley progressed somewhat further and selected two elevens and possible units for the game.

One Eastern back-field combination was as follows: Quarter back, Manders, Minnesota; left half, Newman, Michigan; right half, Rentner, Northwestern; full back, Horstman, Purdue. The other line-up to include: Quarter, Rowe, Colgate; left half, Berry, Illinois; right half, Zapustas, Fordham; full back, Viviano, Cornell.

The back-field line-ups were explained as merely "tentative." Crowley, Yale half back, was in uniform but unable to work out. He wrenched a knee during the stopover at Ogden, Utah, where he slipped on ice.

While the rival coaches declined to discuss the forthcoming game, Hanley said he thought this year's East Team had a stronger back field than last year's, but a weaker line.

ON THE SIDELINES

by BRIAN BELL

WHEN football coaches get together football stories are told. A group of coaches, officials and athletic directors met after the Notre Dame-Southern California game.

The session gave Stub Allison, assistant coach at California, credit for the tie game between the Golden Bears and St. Mary's, the Bears staging a strong comeback after a slow start.

The story goes that Allison passed out complimentary tickets to all the players before the start of the game.

"What are these for?" they asked.

"To get you back into the stadium," said Stub. "They tell me the St. Mary's boys are going to push you fellows clear out of the bowl this afternoon. None of the men at the gates would believe you were football players, so I thought I had better pass the tickets around so you could get back in."

The Bears became all fired up and gave St. Mary's a busy afternoon, the game ending 12 to 12.

NERVOUS COACHES.

And still speaking of St. Mary's and California, with a touch of Washington State, Edward (Slip) Madigan, St. Mary's coach, and Orin (Babe) Hollingbery, Washington State coach, were chatting when a photographer asked Hollingbery to pose for a picture, seated.

"Now that's what I call news," said Madigan. "You'd never get a picture of him sitting down at a football game."

"Is that so?" countered Hollingbery. "What about that California-St. Mary's game? The newspapers said you won by 90 miles, up and down in front of the bench."

The former Notre Dame player got in the final word, breaking up the session.

"Well," said he, "you don't see any white on my shoes from the chalk of the sidelines."

QUIGLEY'S ROUND.

A couple of former midwesterners chimed in with a Nebraska story, Nebraska, so said the yarn, was playing Kansas when a big Cornhusker back dashed down the sidelines for what seemed at first glance to be a touchdown.

"He went out here," announced Ernie Quigley, the well-known major league baseball umpire, who was an official.

"He did not," roared Monte Munn, giant Nebraska tackle, later something of a boxer.

"Show me his tracks."

"What did you say?" demanded Quigley.

"I said he went out right here," parroted Munn, pointing to the spot Quigley had indicated.

The official looked up at big Munn and in a confidential tone said:

"It's a good thing you did, Munn, because I was about to give you a good licking."

Heavies Need Not Apply For Philippine Bouts

Manila, P. I. (A.P.).—Heavyweight fighters are a drug on the market here.

Eddie Jorge, New York Negro, managed to get one fight and won it by a knockout, but finally had to work his way back to the United States on a ship. They couldn't find anyone big enough to meet him.

Most Filipino scrappers are featherweights, or lighter.

Hitchcock's 232 Punts Unblocked by Opponent

Auburn, Ala. (A.P.).—No football player can tell his children he blocked one of Jimmy Hitchcock's punts.

The All-America captain of Auburn's 1932 gridiron machine booted the pigskin 232 times in three years of varsity football, and not once did he have a kick blocked.

As a kicker of a mud-coated ball he was at his best. This season, against Georgia Tech, when playing in a heavy rain, he sent 22 spirals down the field.

Nicholls Golf Showman

Remarkable Shots Failed To Bring Title; Sylvester Saw 410-Yard Drive; Dug Ball From Rabbit Hole.

Louis Johrden, Post Staff Photographer.

Tony Sylvester, popular clubmaker from Bannockburn, is shown wrapping the grip of the club, the last thing he does before shellacking the stick. Sylvester's comment today on Gil Nicholls marks the last of the series of articles by District professionals.

(Herewith is the twenty-eighth and last of The Post's series of golf articles by professionals of the Washington clubs.)

By TONY SYLVESTER
(Bannockburn Golf Club Pro),
As told to Dave Herman, Post staff golf writer.

GIL NICHOLLS was a great showman. He could do remarkable things with the golf ball. Yet, despite his marksmanship on a golf course, he failed to win a single American open championship. He kept knocking at the door of the championship a number of years, and twice came close to winning it. I worked with him when he was pro at Wilmington and a number of other American courses.

Back in 1904, at the Glen View Club, Illinois, he lost by five strokes to the champion, Willie Anderson, of Apawamis. Gil had a 308 total.

In 1907, at the Philadelphia Cricket Club, he came within two strokes of tying Aleck Ross, of Brae Burn, for first prize in the national open.

Ball Goes in Rabbit Hole.

In 1912, at Buffalo Country Club, he was going like a house afire in the open until he drove his tee shot into a rabbit hole toward the end of the last round. Instead of lifting his ball—he had an unplayable lie—Nicholls decided to dig it out with a niblick. It was imbedded so deep in the hole he could hardly see it.

Nicholls was a man who refused to admit anything was impossible. Had he lifted the ball he would have finished possibly with a six.

He crashed into the hole once. Again he dug, and the ball did not come out. He tried a third time and missed. The fourth time he extricated it to finish the hole in eight strokes.

Nicholls was up with the leaders at the finish, despite the eight, being a stroke or so back of the runner-up, Tom McNamara. J. J. McDermott, of Atlantic City, won with a 294 total.

Nicholls Proves His Eagle Eye

It was in 1915 at the Sound View Golf Club that I saw Nicholls prove he had an eagle eye. A fellow bet him he couldn't put one ball out of ten in a hawk's nest 30 feet high.

Standing about forty yards from the tree, I saw Nicholls knock three instead of one into the nest. He used a niblick, his favorite club.

Back in those days the ball wasn't so lively, but he could get remarkable distances with his woods. Reaching 500-yard greens in two shots with the old Spaulding honor ball was a simple matter with Gil.

In the days when I caddied for him at Wilmington, Del., I saw him once hit a ball 410 yards. It was the fifth hole, 350 yards. Gil drove past it 60 yards, for I remember I measured the distance with him.

Dick Newby Elected "C" Club President

Richard (Dick) Newby, who graduated from Central High School in 1919 after starring in athletics, was elected president of the "C" Club at last night's meeting. Parkins Birthright and William Molster were elected vice presidents, while Gene Casey was re-elected to his position as treasurer. Committees were appointed to find ways and means of improving Central's athletic standing and the morale of the student body.

CELTICS LIST MEETING.

Members of St. Mary's Celtics will meet tonight at Vic's Sport Shop to plan for their trip to Charlottes, N. C., Monday. The Celtics are scheduled to play the Bantams in the Southern city. Manager Buck Grier will head a squad of fifteen players.

MICHIGAN GOLF PRO DIES.

Kinghorn, Fifeshire, Scotland, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—William A. Tait, professional golfer at the Mount Clemens (Mich.) Country Club, died today after a short illness.

Tait was 34 years of age and leaves his wife and three children. He had come to Scotland three weeks ago to spend the holidays.

JEFFERSON PARK RESULTS.

(Associated Press.)

FIRST—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, 400; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.
Jack Biener, 113 (Gilbert) 10.60 5.60 3.40
Pacheco, 111 (H. Bagur) 14.00 5.30
Dandy Dan, 111 (M. Parke) 4.60
General Toy, Clasby's Choice, Trieze, Old Bill, Jeanne Wachs, Port o' Play and Baritone also ran. Time, 1:50.

SECOND—Six furlongs (chute); purse, $400; claiming; for 4-year-old colts, horses and geldings.
*Blue Darter, 110 (J. Dupuy) 33.80 8.00 3.60
Beguile, 115 (H. Mills) 2.60 2.20
Oderic, 110 (H. Bagur) 4.40
Too Much Talk, Timekeeper, McCulloch, Royal Sable, *Trycobel, Charles McCroan, *Brown Trap and Chris Paschen also ran. Time, 1:17.
*Field.

THIRD—Six furlongs (out of chute); purse, $400; claiming; for 2 and 3-year-olds.
Donate, 111 (J. Gilbert) 4.20 2.40 2.20
Alcove, 108 (T. P. Martin) 6.00 3.00
Red Vest, 111 (J. Leyland) 2.80
Elkhart, *Red Vamp, Klipdrift, Lampoon, Runon, Nancy Cloi, Transmit, *Priscoville and *Catalan's Idol also ran. Time, 1:15 3-5.
*Field.

FOURTH—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $400; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.
Switch, 110 (T. P. Martin) 7.60 4.80 3.20
My Prince, 103 (H. Mills) 14.00 8.80
*Duchess of York, 107 (A. Gaither) 6.60
*Indian Dancen, Eascoba Land, Winnie C., Lady Sweet, Hal Riley, *Shasta Charmer, Black Patricia, Petabit and Bill Orange also ran. Time, 1:50 3-5.
*Field.

FIFTH—Six furlongs (chute); purse, $400; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.
Flying Don, 112 (L. Hardy) 2.40 2.20 2.20
Chianti, 109 (A. Beck) 3.30 2.20
Burnside, 107 (M. Lewis) 3.60
Tarpon, Nyack, Howee, Happy Warrior and Tennywood also ran. Time, 1:14 4-5.

SIXTH—Six furlongs (chute); purse, $400; claiming; for 2 and 3 year olds.
Vonnie, 111 (J. McCoy) 5.60 3.60 2.60
Mi Cara, 100 (T. P. Martin) 17.60 5.40
Slanta, 111 (A. Yerratt) 12.20
Shady Girl, *Whitharral, Beggar Lady, No Fun, Morlove, *Dunair, Olive Sabath, and *Lorraine K. also ran. Time, 1:17 1-5.
*Field.

SEVENTH—One and one-eighth miles; purse, $400; claiming; 3-year-olds and upward.
Crowned Head, 111 (T. May) 8.80 4.80 4.00
Distress Signal, 111 (W. Garner) 24.60 8.00
Elizabeth S., 103 (H. Bagur) 6.80
Jeff O'Neil, Eveline F., Honohina, Playlin, Bosky, Penn, *Joan G., *Mutual Friend and *Bill Phillips also ran. Time, 1:58 4-5. *Field.

Soccer Games Monday At Silver Spring Field

Two soccer games are scheduled Monday for the Silver Spring field. Columbia Heights Blacks will oppose Concord in the first tilt at 1 o'clock and at 2:30 o'clock the Columbia Heights Greys will square off with Rockville.

The Concord eleven has improved rapidly and is expected to extend its opponent until the last minute of play. The Greys, leading the Capital City League, will meet a strong opponent in Rockville and the result will have a distinct bearing on the championship.

RIFLE TEAMS IN MATCH.

Central High School's rifle team will oppose an alumni team in a match to be fired Wednesday evening, at 8 o'clock, on the school range. The match originally was scheduled for the afternoon of January 2, but has been moved up.

OLYMPIC DIPLOMAS MAILED.

Los Angeles, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—More than a thousand diplomas of the games of the tenth Olympiad were mailed today by William M. Henry, of the local organizing committee to contestants who placed third or better in the classic here last summer, and to all officials.

The diplomas, going to athletes and officials of 41 nations, will not arrive in time for Christmas in any instance, for they have been sent to the national committees for distribution.

SEEK JUNIOR GAMES.

Roamer Whirlwind Juniors, 125-pound basket ball team, wants a game. Call Lincoln 1944.

Hitting the Headpin

LUCKY STRIKE took both ends of a double-header from King Pin in the District League last night. Jimmy Moore's 145 game and Hokie Smith's 380 set featured the set at King Pin.

The Strikemen had visions of breaking their all-time set mark of 1,965 when they rolled 647 and 685 in the first two games of the nightcap, but a 517 finale ruined the hopes.

Bill Mille's 145 and 408 featured the pin spilling.

Bolstered by Reds Megaw and Ollie Pacini, Rinaldi Tailors disposed of the league-leading Kings Palace quintet in the National Capital loop. The Tailors banged out games of 589, 658 and 587 to their opponents' 577, 621, 574. Megaw rolled high game, 162, and high set, 401. "Dutch" Newman was credited with a 139 game and 390 set.

. . . And lest we forget, a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to the worst dub and the most widely publicized ace in town.

Colonial Ice Cream walloped Fountain Hams in another National Capital League engagement. The teams tied at 568 in the second ace, but the Colonials won the roll-off. Joe Pricci had a 378 set, one better than Johnny Anderson's. Frank Mischou had a 141 game and 408 set.

KENNEDY AND GODWIN IN FEATURE

West Coast Fighter to Show Wares at Portner Arena.

LES KENNEDY, California heavy, will be wheeled into Portner's Arena next Tuesday night to meet Bob Godwin in the feature bout on the weekly card of six slug siestas. The Californian brings a fairly potent reputation to Alexandria.

In company with Paolino Uzcudun, Kennedy drew a crowd of 25,000 out on the Pacific Coast last year. He has been victorious in his last three fights, according to Jimmy Erwin, who is representing the Joe Glaser battler. His best recent victory was over Baxter Calmes, in the Chicago Stadium, after Calmes had won fourteen straight bouts. He has fought, and lost, to Primo Carnera, and is said to hold a decision over Max Baer.

Kennedy is Scotch-Irish, was born in Butte, weighs 185, and this will be his fourth bout since coming East.

Bobby Burns and Roy Manley are being bickered with by Promoter Mann, with a view to bringing them together in a six-rounder semiwindup. Four four-rounders will round out the show.

Yale's Gridiron Coach To Be Named Soon

New Haven, Conn., Dec. 23 (U.P.).—Malcolm Farmer, Yale's graduate manager of athletics, intends to announce the Elis' new head football coach "within a week or ten days," a spokesman at Farmer's office said today, denying reports that a successor to Dr. Mal Stevens had been selected. It had been reported that Reginald Root, Yale, '26, had been named.

DIDRIKSON'S PLEA REVEALED BY A. A. U.

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got to get me reinstated. Athletics mean everything in the world to me. You know I wouldn't do anything to hurt my amateur standing. I've had plenty of chances to turn professional, but I want to play the real game. I want real competition and I want to compete with others who are in the game for the love of it. Please help me. I know how an innocent person feels when accused of a crime.'"

Miss Didrikson, Olympic track champion, was temporarily suspended from the A. A. U. two weeks ago on charges that she indorsed an automobile advertisement. The registration committee here exonerated her of the charges yesterday, but meanwhile the Texas "wonder girl" had announced she was "through with the amateurs."

Di Benedetto said he could have wired Miss Didrikson Tuesday when he received her letter, that he favored her reinstatement, but that "it would be contrary to the policy of the A. A. U., which holds the accused guilty until he proves himself innocent."

"I had to send a formal telegram saying: 'Your letter received. Your case will be decided this week.' If I could have encouraged her, perhaps she would have remained in the A. A. U., but as it was, she got tired of waiting for us to act."

RIEGELS' REVERSE GALLOP RECALLED

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fore the Tech men knock them to earth on California's 6-inch line.

Lom's attempted punt is blocked by Vance Maree, Tech tackle, and is recovered by a California player behind his own goal line.

The safety means 2 points for the Southerners and these 2 points furnish the margin of victory. Tech scores in the third period and fails to convert, and California gets a touchdown and a conversion in the fourth quarter. Tech has won, 8 to 7.

Riegels was removed from the game after his misplay because his coach, Nibs Price, feared he had been injured.

The center came back in the second half to play a magnificent game. His tackling and blocking was deadly and his passes were good.

The next year, as captain of the Golden Bears, he was so good that he made all of the all-coast selections. He now coaches football at North Sacramento High School.

There was no criticism of Riegels after the game.

"I looked up, saw some goal posts and made for them" was the only thing he had to say.

One of the best stories that followed his run and one perhaps indicative of his character came from a party after the game. Riegels, the story goes, was introduced to Barney Oldfield, the famous racing driver.

"What's the name?" asked Oldfield, who may be hard of hearing.

"Never mind the name," Riegels smiled an answer. "I'm the guy that ran the wrong way at Pasadena to day."

Death Threat to Gilbert Demands Three Winners

New Orleans, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Jockey Johnny Gilbert, leading the race for national riding honors this year, today reported to Jefferson Park race track officials that he had received a letter warning him that he would "not live to see Christmas" if he failed to ride three winners at good odds in today's races.

Track attaches were inclined to regard the communication as a "practical joke" or the work of a crank, but the letter was turned over to postal authorities. Gilbert said the letter had been mailed in Brooklyn and that the envelope carried a name and return address. Although the inclosure was signed only "38."

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Stocks Refuse to Decline In Dull and Lighter Dealing

Market Closes Unchanged as Sales Dwindle to 945,942 Shares.

New York, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Stocks were steady today after Thursday's reaction.

Light selling uncovered a degree of resistance that recalled recent instances when the market had refused to violate the autumn lows, so that to this extent, at least, the day's action was encouraging. The range was narrow, and price averages closed unchanged.

Trading leaned toward preholiday dullness, turnover amounting to 945,942 shares. The market obviously found relief in abatement of rail selling. Members of that group, with the exception of Santa Fe, appeared much less worried by rumor or other adverse influences, such as tax offerings, and exhibited a fair degree of stability. New York Central seemed relieved of whatever troubles had afflicted it yesterday and closed at an advance of ¼ of a point.

Imminence of a two-day vacation might well have prompted some short covering, perhaps enough to absorb such offerings as came out around midday after a morning of steadiness. At one time in the afternoon the list was comfortably highter, but part of these gains evaporated. Industrial stocks, on the whole, behave creditably. U. S. Steel issues made small changes. Such shares as American Can, General Electric, Westinghouse, American Tobacco "B," Texas Corporation, Du Pont and National Biscuit came through with minor improvement, while utilities were little changed on the day.

Selling of Santa Fe was ascribed in part to the small winter wheat estimate, which in the speculative mind meant smaller freight volume.

Commerce and industry, except in retail divisions, had tapered off for the Christmas lull and news was scarce.

SECURITIES AVERAGES.

(Associated Press.)

STOCKS	50 Ind.	20 Rys.	20 Util.	90 To.
Yesterday	49.4	24.3	87.1	52.2
Previous day.	49.4	24.4	87.2	52.2
Week ago	52.6	27.9	91.5	55.6
Month ago	52.5	26.3	86.3	54.4
Year ago	61.2	32.4	97.3	63.1
2 years ago.	160.9	127.5	191.5	160.9
5 years ago.	147.2	122.8	126.7	134.1
High, 1932	72.3	39.8	111.0	73.9
Low, 1932	35.1	13.2	51.8	35.0
High, 1931	140.2	106.2	203.9	144.3
Low, 1931	60.0	30.8	92.8	61.3
High, 1930	202.4	141.6	281.3	205.8
Low, 1930	112.9	86.4	146.5	114.7
BONDS.	20 Ind.	20 Rys.	20 Util.	60 To.
Yesterday	62.2	57.1	80.9	66.7
Previous day.	62.6	58.0	81.0	67.2
Week ago	62.7	60.5	81.1	68.0
Month ago	62.6	62.1	81.9	68.8
Year ago	72.4	68.6	82.6	74.6
2 years ago	86.1	100.6	97.2	94.6
5 years ago.	92.0	104.5	98.3	98.2
High, 1932	71.3	78.0	86.2	78.1
Low, 1932	53.2	47.4	70.9	57.5
High, 1931	90.4	105.7	101.5	98.7
Low, 1931	63.2	62.3	80.2	68.5
High, 1930	94.9	109.8	101.4	101.9
Low, 1930	83.3	97.3	96.6	92.6

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THE MARKETS AT A GLANCE

What the Stock Market Did

	Fri.	Thur.
Advances	142	103
Declines	306	455
Unchanged	205	147
Total issues traded	653	705

Stocks.

Steadiness developed as stocks resisted further declines. The market closed unchanged. Sales dwindled to 945,942 shares.

Bonds.

Mixed price movement prevailed, and a half-point loss was recorded. Sales dropped slightly to $10,039,000.

Curb.

Prices maintained a steady undertone, and sales climbed to 200,000 shares. Net changes were small.

Wheat.

Low-price records in wheat were prevented, and losses were reduced to moderate proportions in trading. Corn futures demand helped all grains. December wheat sold at 43¼ cents.

Cotton.

Interest centered on notices and evening-up, and prices closed 7 to 70 points higher. March sold at 5.91. Liverpool reported selling of Japanese cotton.

FOREIGN MARKETS.

(Associated Press.)

London—Business on the stock exchange was of holiday dimensions today. Gilt-edged securities drooped due to lack of support and transatlantic shares were easy on reports from Wall street. Industrials, gold mining shares and oils were lightly supported. The closing was dull.

Paris—Prices were hesitant and slightly lower on the bourse due to the poorer tendency of the pound sterling and pre-holiday realising. The closing was irregular and inactive.

Berlin—Trading on the boerse was listless on account of the approaching holiday, but prices improved slightly. A firm tone prevailed at the close.

CURB PRICES STEADY ON HEAVIER TRADING

Net Price Changes Small as Turnover Rises to 200,000 Shares.

New York, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—The curb market maintained a fairly steady undertone today in face of indications of further tax selling.

Trading was more active, the turnover of some 200,000 shares comparing with 170,000 in the previous session, and the number of issues traded was considerably larger than in recent sessions. A number of transactions appeared in usually inactive specialties, presumably for tax purposes.

Among the more active issues, net changes were small.

Electric Bond & Share traded over a range of a point, and closed unchanged. American Gas rose a fraction, while American Superpower was off slightly in a large turnover. Utilities generally held up well.

Mining and metal shares were mixed. Newmont rose 1¾ in a thin market, while New Jersey Zinc and Mayflower Associates, which has substantial copper investments, lost about a point each. Oils were virtually unchanged.

Among industrials, Pepperell Manufacturing lose 3¾ in a small turnover. Shaeffer Pen and Safety Car Heating reacted a point, and Cord and Deere eased fractionally.

Large Tie Orders Given By Burlington Road

Seattle, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Arthur E. Campbell, lumber agent for the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad, said here today the carrier has placed a contract in the Puget Sound district for between $125,000 and $150,000 worth of ties and in addition has ordered 2,000,000 feet of lumber to build coal-carrying gondolas. It was the first Burlington order in this area since 1924.

He said the road had been using all-steel gondolas, but the sulphur in the soft coal ate the sheet steel.

Wholesale Food Prices Sag Slightly During December

(By Bradstreet's Weekly.)

New York, Dec. 23.—The wholesale food price index compiled by Bradstreet's Weekly gave up its previous weeks' gain of 2 cents to again stand at $1.67 on December 20. This loss, however, is not as discouraging as it might at first appear. The peak of the small seasonal swing in the index is usually reached in the preceding week, to be followed by a rather sharp decline. This week's drop is almost exactly in accord with such expectations. After adjustment for seasonal variation, the index fell from 52.6 to 52.5 per cent of the 1928-30 average.

Movements within the index were somewhat conflicting. The largest gains were in beeves and lard, but these were outweighted by weakness in eggs, sheep and lambs. Among 87 commodities of all kinds reported by Bradstreet's Weekly, 11 increased, 17 decreased and 59 remained unchanged. In the previous week comparable figures were 14, 10 and 63, respectively.

Index number of wholesale food prices for this week compare with preceding weeks and years as follows:

	1932.	1931.	1930.	1929.	1928.	1919.
Dec. 20	$1.67	$1.97	$2.47	$3.11	$3.29	$4.99
Dec. 13	1.69	1.98	2.52	3.11	3.30	5.10
Dec. 6	1.67	1.99	2.60	3.17	3.35	5.18
Nov. 29	1.72	2.05	2.61	3.14	3.35	5.10
Nov. 22	1.73	2.07	2.61	3.16	3.32	5.05
Nov. 15	1.71	2.13	2.67	3.13	3.33	5.03

Canada Maintains Balance in Trade

Favorable November Figures Show $8,852,377 Over Imports.

Ottawa, Ontario, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Canada maintained its favorable trade balance in November, with an excess of exports over imports of $8,852,377. In November, 1931, the excess of exports was $11,518,769, but in November, 1930, imports exceeded exports by $1,643,030.

The balance of trade with the United States remains unfavorable, imports in November exceeding exports by $5,772,431, a reduction from the unfavorable balance of November, 1931, which was $16,439,814.

The favorable balance of trade with the United Kingdom in November was $9,573,940, compared with $12,657,894 the previous November.

$211,000,000 Budget Is Voted by Argentina

Buenos Aires, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—The Chamber of Deputies voted a budget of 820,000,000 pesos (equivalent to $211,000,000) for 1933 today, cutting 23,000,000 pesos from the draft budget submitted by the administration.

Loans to Brokers Boosted $2,000,000

Week's Advances Total $395,000,000; Under Period of 1931.

(Associated Press.)

Loans to brokers and dealers held by New York Federal Reserve member banks for the week ended December 21 were announced by the Federal Reserve Board yesterday as $395,000,000, an increase of $2,000,000 compared to the preceding week.

The loans for the week ended December 23, 1931, were $611,000,000 The detailed distribution over the three weeks dealt with in the board's report was, in millions:

	December 21.	14.	23, 1931.
For own account	$379	$377	$553
For account of out-of-town banks	12	12	51
For account of others	4	4	7

FLOUR MARKET.

Philadelphia, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—FLOUR—Unchanged.

New York, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—FLOUR—Steady; spring patents, 3.40@3.85; soft winter straights, 3.00@3.20; hard winter straights, 3.15@3.40.

Minneapolis, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—FLOUR—Unchanged; shipments, 23,468.

BRAN—8.50@9.00.

BONDS REPEAT LOSS IN MIXED DEALINGS

Loss of Half Point Recorded for Second Day; Sale, $10,039,000.

New York, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Mixed price movements dominated the bond market today and, except in the highest grade investment groups, the trend was distinctly downward.

Aggregate transactions dropped to a total of $10,039,000, par value, against $12,279,000 yesterday. The Associated Press-Standard Statistics average for 60 domestic corporate loans declined half a point, a net loss of a point in two days.

The market apparently ignored optimistic sentiments expressed by the weekly trade reviews, an increase during the week of some $119,000,000 in the country's gold stocks, and a report from the Federal Reserve Board that wholesale indices were steadier at their low points than during the past two years.

United States Government bonds were comparatively dull, although two of the Liberties and two Treasuries recorded new highs for the year. The foreign section was also quiet and rather heavy. The Germans reacted 1 to 3 points, and issues of Norway, Australia, Austria and Finland were heavy. British 5½s were a trifle easier, as were French 7s and 7½s.

The principal industrial and utility soft spots involved issues of International Telephone, Postal Telegraph, Chile Copper, Paramount Publix, American Beet Sugar and American & Foreign Power. Bonds of American Telephone were generally steady, as were those of Brooklyn Edison and Delaware Power.

THE METAL MARKETS.

New York, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—COPPER—Quiet; electrolytic spot, 5; future, 5¼.

TIN—Steady; spot and nearby, 22.80; future, 22.95.

IRON—Quiet, unchanged.

LEAD—Steady; spot, New York, 3.00; East St. Louis, 2.87.

ZINC—Quiet; East St. Louis spot and future, 3.12.

ANTIMONY—5.40.

New York Curb Is Host To 2,000 Poor Children

New York, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Members of the New York Curb Exchange today played host to 2,000 needy children.

The youngsters, ranging in age from 4 to 14, were entertained on the floor of the exchange. When the gong sounded on final trading, a Christmas tree was lighted, music furnished and the festivities started.

Necessaries as well as candies, were given out by a willing Santa Claus. Included in each package were sweaters and an order to each boy and girl for a pair of shoes supplied by a shoe manufacturing company at low cost to the exchange.

Wisconsin Prices Of Tobacco Down

Lowest Return in Years Received for Cigar Binder Product.

Madison, Wis., Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Lowest tobacco prices since the industry started in Wisconsin 78 years ago were offered today. Although the planting was held to nearly half the record acreage, the price is around 5 cents a pound.

While the growing of tobacco is commonly associated in the average man's mind with Kentucky, North Caroline, and other Southern States, Wisconsin's relatively frigid climate has produced for generations a large portion of the country's cigar binder tobacco, sharing that field with Connecticut.

Wisconsin is the most northern State to grow tobacco commercially, but the "weed" is virtually always the State's second leading cash crop. Recently much cigarette tobocco has been grown in Ontario, Canada, and, in pioneer days, farmers in Northern States grew their own supply in the garden.

WHEAT VALUES SINK DESPITE CORN'S AID

New Low Record Retrieved to Slight Loss in Late Trading.

Chicago, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—New low-price records for the season tarnished the wheat, corn and oats markets today, but improvement of corn shipping demand steadied all grains later.

A widely known Chicago speculator appeared in the corn pit, and personally conducted vigorous buying of corn future deliveries. Earlier, all grains suffered from liquidating sales that were associated with heavy rains at some points in Kansas and Oklahoma, although worst drought districts of winter wheat territory appeared to have received little benefit.

Wheat closed easy at the same as yesterday's finish to ⅜ lower; corn, ¼ to ½ advanced; oats, unchanged to a shade lower, and provisions varying from 20 cents decline to 10 cents gain.

Corn Demand Improves.

Corn shipping demand today was the best in some weeks, and there was no material pressure to sell except shortly after the opening. During a brief interval, however, offerings were of sufficient volume to pull prices down to within 1¼ cents of the all-time record low for futures, namely 19½ cents reached by September contracts in 1896. The fact that rural offerings of corn today were limited, however, did much to help rally the market in the late dealings.

Wheat responded to late strength of corn, but was handicaped by assertions in some quarters that indications pointed to 400,000,000 bushels carryover of wheat in this country July 1 next. This would be about four times the amount that up to 1928 was considered a normal carryover. It was also contended by bears that even conceding a near-crop failure of 1933 winter wheat, there would still be about 350,000,000 bushels for export and carryover.

One wheat specialist said that only a succession of crop failures, or enormously reduced acreages in this country, could put the United States anywhere near a domestic basis. Oats mainly followed corn. Provisions were mostly higher, reflecting the course of hog values.

Futures Price Range.

Wheat—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
December	43½	43½	42⅞	43¼
May	45	45¼	44⅝	45⅛
July	44¾	45⅛	44⅛	45
Corn—				
December	20¾	21⅜	20¾	21¼
May	25¾	26⅛	25⅝	26⅛
July	27½	27⅞	27¾	27¾
Oats—				
December	15	15	14⅞	14⅞
May	16⅞	16⅞	16¾	16⅞
July	17⅛	17⅛	17⅛	17¼

Cash Grain.

WHEAT—No sales.

CORN—New, No. 2, yellow, 23¼; No. 3, white, 21¼@22; old, No. 2, yellow, 24@24½; No. 2 white, 23¼@23½.

OATS—No. 2, white, 16.

RYE—No sales.

BARLEY—23@37.

TIMOTHY SEED—2.25@2.50 per hundredweight.

CLOVER SEED—5.50@8.50 per hundredweight.

BALTIMORE TOBACCO.

Special to The Washington Post.

Baltimore, Dec. 23.—Leaf tobacco:

Maryland—Receipts for the last week were 262 hogsheads, while sales declined to 168 hogsheads. Prices remain about as before.

Ohio—Nothing reported.

Maryland prices (per 100 pounds)—Frosted and inferior, 2.00@4.50; sound to good common, 5.00@15.00; medium to good, 15.00@30.00; good to fine red, 30.00@40.00; fancy, 41.50@42.00. Seconds, common and medium, 4.00@13.00; good to fine, 16.00@28.00; 1931 crop ground leaves, 2.00@12.00; upper country burley, nominal.

Ohio prices (per 100 pounds)—Common to medium, 6.00@12.00; good to fine, 13.00@25.00; spangled, good to fine yellow, 25.00@30.00.

N. —Unused and badly mixed packages from 2 to 3 cents lower.

Stock in warehouses—

	Maryland.	Ohio.	Total.
Stock January 1	14,456	5,670	14,456
Receipts since	45,832	123	45,955
Totals	60,298	1,793	62,091
Delivered since	28,600	570	29,170
Stocks today	31,698	1,223	32,921
Sales—			
This week	368		368
Previously	53,752	284	54,036
Totals	54,120	284	54,404

Ground leaves to date, 95 hogsheads.

BANK STOCKS

New York, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Over the counter market.

BANKS.	Bid.	Asked.
Bank of Manhattan	26½	28½
Chase National	33½	35½
Commercial	138	148
Fifth Avenue	1325	1425
First National	1520	1570
National City	40½	42½
Public	26¾	28¾
TRUST COMPANIES.		
Bankers	66¼	68¼
Brooklyn Trust	163	178
Cen. Hanover	146½	150½
Chemical	36½	38½
Continental	17¾	19¾
Corn Exchange	72	75
Empire	22¾	24¾
Guaranty	326	331
Irving	23½	25½
Manufacturers	28½	30½
N. Y. Title & Mtge	3¼	3¾
N. Y. Trust	94½	97½
Title G. & T	29½	32½
United States	1540	1640
INSURANCE.		
Aetna Cas	32	34
Aetna Fire	25	27
Aetna Life	11¼	13¼
Agricultural	37½	42½
Am. Surety	9¾	11¾
Balt. Amer	2	3
Boston	290	315
Conn. Gen. Life	28	29
Fid. & Dep	40	43
Firemens Ins	5½	7
Frank Fire	11½	13½
Glenn Falls	25¾	27¾
Globe & Rut	7¾	9¾
Great Amer	11	12½
Hanover	22½	24½
Hartford Fire	35	37
Home Ins	13	14¾
Mass. Bond	14	17
National Fire	36	38
Nor. River	9½	11¾
Phoenix	45	48
Prov. Wash	16¾	18¾
St. Paul Fire	½	1½
Sun Life	99	105
Travelers	230	280
	330	345

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MONEY MARKETS

FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

New York, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Foreign exchange steady. (Great Britain in dollars, others in cents.)

Great Britain—Demand, 3.33¾; cables, 3.33½; 60-day bills, 3.32¼.

France—Demand, 3.90¼; cables, 3.90¾.

Italy—Demand, 5.11½; cables, 5.12.

Belgium—Demand, 13.84½.

Germany—Demand, 23.80½.

Holland—Demand, 40.16½.

Norway—Demand, 17.22½.

Sweden—Demand, 18.23½.

Denmark—Demand, 17.29½.

Switzerland—Demand, 19.25.

Spain—Demand, 8.15.

Portugal—*Demand, 3.04.

Greece—*Demand, 0.53½.

Poland—*Demand, 11.16.

Czechoslovakia—*Demand, 2.96¼.

Jugoslavia—*Demand, 1.36.

Austria—*Demand, 14.00.

Roumania—*Demand, 0.59¾.

Argentina—Demand, 25.79.

Brazil—*Demand, 7.57.

Tokyo—Demand, 21.25.

Shanghai—Demand, 27.62½.

Montreal—*Demand, 87.62½.

Mexico City (silver peso)—*Demand, 32.15.

*Nominal.

NEW YORK.

All money steady; 1 per cent all day. Time loans steady; 60 to 90 days, ½; 4 months, ½ to 6 months, 1 per cent. Prime commercial paper, 1¼. Bankers' acceptances unchanged.

Bar silver steady; unchanged at 24⅛.

LONDON.

Discount rates—Short bills, 1⅛@1⅛; three-month bills, 1⅛@1⅛ per cent.

Bar silver irregular; ¼ higher at 16|8d.

PARIS.

Three per cent rentes, 76 francs 75 centimes; 4½ per cent rentes, 93.30.

Exchange on London, 85.27. The dollar was quoted at 25.62½.

GOLD MOVEMENT.

New York, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Gold exports from England to the amount of $8,048,800, announced today by the Federal Reserve Bank, were believed to represent the first consignment of the yellow metal in connection with the payment of Britain's war debt installment and interest on December 15.

Payment was effected on the due date through the earmarking of British gold in London for the account of the Federal Reserve. Today's shipment closed up a part of that earmark transaction and resulted in a decrease of $7,563,800 in the gold held abroad for the account of the Federal Reserve.

In addition to the shipment from England there were arrivals of $2,800,000 from France, $995,900 from Canada and $98,400 from India. The total of the inward movement, approximately $11,900,000, was not all direct gain for the country's monetary stock, having an offset in the $7,563,800 in the Reserve's gold stocks abroad, and thus making the net gain in the monetary stock $3,559,300.

INVESTMENT TRUSTS.

(Quotations furnished by Waggaman, Brawner & Co., Inc.)

	Bid.	Asked.
American Bank Stock Corp.	1.50	1.75
Bullock Fund	11	12
Corp. Tr. Shs., accum. series	1.56	1.80
Corp. Tr. Shs., AA series	1.56	1.80
Corp. Tr. Shs., old series	1.85	
Cumulative Trust Shares	2.50	
Diver. Tr. Shs., series C	2.00	2.20
Dividend Shares, Inc	1.05	1.12
Independence Trust Shares	1.70	2.00
Nationwide, series B	2.40	2.65
Nationwide, Voting	7¾	8¾
N. Y. Bank Trust Shares	3¾	4¼
N. Amn. Tr. Shs., series 1953	1.73	
N. Amn. Tr. Shs., series 1935	1.75	1.95
N. Amn. Tr. Shs., series 1956	1.75	1.95
Spencer Trask Fund, Inc	9¾	10¼
Super Corp. of A., ser. AA&BB	1.45	1.65
Super Corp. of A., series C	4.40	4.90
Super Corp. of A., series D	4.10	4.60
U. S. E. L. P. S., Voting	8½	9
U. S. E. L. P. S., series B	2.45	2.70

TREASURY CERTIFICATES.

(Reported by Charles D. Barney & Co.)

Rate.	Maturity.	Bid.	Offer.
3¾	Feb. 1, 1933	100 20-32	100 22-32
3¾	Mar. 15, 1933	101	101 2-32
2	Mar. 15, 1933	100 12-32	100 16-32
2	May 2, 1933	100 24-32	100 26-32
1½	June 15, 1933	100 22-32	100 24-32
1¼	Sept. 15, 1933	100 23-32	100 25-32
2	May 2, 1934	102 10-32	102 12-32
2¼	Aug. 1, 1934	102	102 2-32
3	June 15, 1935	103	103 2-32
3¼	Aug. 1, 1936	103	103 2-32
3¼	Apr. 15, 1937	103 31-32	103 2-32
3½	Sept. 15, 1937	102 24-32	102 26-32
4	Dec. 15, 1933	100 14-32	100 16-32
2¾	Dec. 15, 1936	101 7-32	101 9-32

BALTIMORE SECURITIES.

Baltimore, Dec. 23.—Closing prices:

Black & Decker	1½
Com. Credit, pf. B	19¼
Con. G. E. L. & P. 5% pf.	100
Consolidation Coal	08
Eastern Rolling Mills	2½
Finance Co. Am. A	4
New Amsterdam Casualty	17

U. S. TREASURY RECEIPTS.

(Associated Press.)

Treasury receipts for December 21 were $8,947,832.44; expenditures, $20,436,739.85; balance, $621,712,707.14. Customs duties for 21 days of December were $15,280,-965.09.

COMMODITY PRICE INDEX.

New York, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Index of fifteen staple commodity prices: Today, 80.3; previous day, 79.6; week ago, 80.8; month ago, 84.7; 1932 high, 103.9; 1932 low, 79.6.

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GOODS MARKETS.

New York, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Dry goods primary markets were very quiet on the eve of the holiday and many of the largest mill agencies are suspending business from tonight until Tuesday morning.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE TRANSACTIONS OF YESTERDAY

Total sales today, 945,942 shares; previous day, 1,297,658 shares; week ago, 916,211 shares; year ago, holiday; two years ago, 1,800,660 shares; January 1 to date, 420,211,415 shares; year ago, 569,821,746 shares; two years ago, 795,719,430 shares.

Sales in hundreds	High	Low	Last	Chg.	Bid
A					
20 Adams Express	4⅞	4¾	4¾	— ⅛	4¾
2 Addressog	9¾	9½	9¾	+ ⅛	9¾
3 Affiliat Prod (1.80)	8⅞	8¾	8¾	— ⅛	8¾
16 Air Reduc (3)	57	56⅛	57	+ ¼	57
29 Alaska Jun (½)	13⅜	12¾	12¾	— ⅜	12¾
72 Alleghany	1	⅞	⅞	— ⅛	⅞
72 Alleghany pf xw	2¼	2¼	2¼	+ ⅛	1¾
1 Alleghany pf 130 ww	1¾	1¾	1¾	—	2⅜
3 Alleghany pf 140 ww	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜	— ⅛	1½
101 Al Chem & Dye (6)	76¾	75½	76½	+ ⅜	76¼
8 Ailis Ch Mfg	7¼	7	7	—	7
1 Alpha P Cem	7¼	7¼	7¼	—	7
4 Amerada (2)	20	19¾	19¾	— ⅛	19¾
2 Am Ag Chem Del	8½	8	8½	+ ⅛	8
1 Am Bank Note	11	11	11	—	11
1 Am Beet Sugar	1	1	1	+ ¼	½
7 Am Brake Shoe (.60) XD	10	9⅞	10	+ ¼	9⅞
1.10 Am Br Shoe pf (7) XD	66	65¾	66	— ¼	64¼
76 Am Can (4)	52½	51½	52½	+ ¼	52
6 Am Car & Fdy	5½	5	5½	+ ¼	5
1 Am Car & F pf	16	16	16	—	16
1 Am Chicle (3b)	36	36	36	— 1	36
2 Am Colortype	2⅜	2½	2½	—	2¼
3 Am Comml Alco	18	18	18	— ¼	18
28 Am & For Pow	6⅜	6⅛	6⅛	—	6⅛
6 Am & F P 1st pf	10⅝	9¼	9¼	— ⅜	9¼
6 Am & F P 2d pf	7	6¾	7	—	6⅝
1 Am Hide & Leather pf	12¼	12¼	12¼	— ¼	11⅝
16 Am Home Prod (4.20)	36¼	35¼	36	— ½	35¾
6 Am Ice (1)	4¼	4¼	4½	— ⅛	4
17 Am Internat	6⅞	6⅝	6⅞	—	6¾
7 Am Loco	5½	5	5½	+ ⅛	5
5 Am Loco pf	18¾	18½	18½	— ¼	18⅝
7 Am Mach & Fdy (.80)	11¾	11¼	11¼	— ⅜	11¼
4 Am Metal	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜	— ⅛	3⅜
29 Am Pow & Lt	7¼	7	7	—	7
9 Am P & L $6 pf (3)	20½	19½	19¾	— ⅝	19½
7 Am P & L $5 pf (2½)	16½	16	16	— 1½	15¾
31 Am Rad Std San	6⅞	6½	6⅝	+ ⅛	6½
15 Am Roll Mill	7¾	7	7	— ⅛	7
5 Am Ship & Com	⅛	⅛	⅛	—	⅛
35 Am Smelt & R	11	10⅞	11	+ ⅛	10⅝
4 Am Smelt pf	32½	32	32	— 1	32
11 Am Stl Fdrs	5⅛	5	5⅛	—	5
3 Am Sugar Ref (2)	21¾	21	21	— ¼	21
9 Am Tob (5m)	55½	55⅛	55⅛	— ⅜	55½
143 Am Tob "B" Tel (9)	102	100¾	101¾	+ ½	101¼
37 Am Tob B (5m)	58	56⅞	56⅞	— ¼	57½
1 Am Tob pf (6)	114¾	114¾	114¾	+ ¾	114
1 Am Type Fdrs	5	5	5	—	4¾
2 Am Wat Wks (1)	15⅜	15⅜	15⅜	— ⅛	15⅜
4 Am Woolen	4⅜	4⅛	4⅜	+ ⅛	4⅛
1 Am Wtg P otf	2	2	2	—	2
.50 AmWtg P pf	2	2	2	—	¾
84 Anaconda	5¾	5½	5¾	—	5⅝
3 Armour Del pf (7)	37	37	37	— 1	37
9 Arm Ill A	1⅛	1	1		1
1 Arm Ill B	¾				⅝
1 Arm Ill pf	6½	6½	6½		6
1 Assd App Ind	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	+	1
4 Assd Dry Gds	3¾	3¾	3¾		3⅞
3 Assd D Gds 1 pf	18¾	18¾	18¾		18⅝
139 Atch, T & S F	37¼	36¼	36½	— ¼	36¼
1 Atchison pf (5)	57¾	57¾	57¾	+ ⅜	57¼
12 Atl Cst Line	17	16	16	—	16
10 Atl Refin (1)	15⅝	15⅜	15⅜	— ⅛	15⅝
3 Atlas Pow	8½	8	8		8
61 Auburn Auto (4a) XD	46⅞	44¾	45¾	+ ¼	45⅜
101 Aviation Corp	7⅜	6¾	7	— ⅛	6⅞
B					
13 Baldwin Loc	4	3¾	3⅞	— ⅛	3⅞
4.70 Bald Loc pf	11⅜	10⅞	10⅞	— ⅜	10⅞
80 Balt & Ohio	7¾	7¼	7⅜	— ⅛	7⅜
36 Balt & O pf	9⅞	8½	8½	— ⅛	8½
.50 Bamberger pf (6½)	72½	72	72	— ¼	72½
.95 Barker	8	7	7	—	7
10 Barnet Leather pf	12½	12½	12½	+ 1	13
3 Barnsdall	3⅞	3⅝	3⅞		3⅝
20 Bayuk Cigar	4¼	4¼	4¼		
4 Beatrice Cr	11¼	10⅞	11¼	+ ¼	10⅝
1 Beatrice C pf	62¼	62¼	62¼	+ ¼	62⅛
9 Belding-Hem	9¾	9¼	9¾		9¼
21 Bendix Aviat	9¾	9¼	9¾		9¼
5 Best & Co	10¼	10	10¼		10
10 Bethlehem Stl	13	12¼	12½	— ⅛	12¼
14 Beth Stl pf	27	26⅜	26⅜	— ⅝	26⅛
20.00 Bloomingdale	9	8	8	— ⅛	
9 Bohn Alum	12¾	12	12	— ⅛	12
35 Borden (2)	24¾	23½	23⅞	— ⅜	23¾
6 Borg-Warner	8¼	8⅛	8¼	—	8
7 Briggs Mfg	4¼	4⅛	4⅛	— ⅛	4⅛
12 Bklyn-Man T	24½	23½	24	— ⅝	24
11 Bklyn-M T pf (6)	69	68½	68½	+ 1	68¼
3 Bklyn Un Gas (5)	79	76	76	— 1	75
3 Bruns-Ery	2¾	2½	2⅝	+ ⅛	2½
11 Bucy-E cvt pf	3⅛	2⅞	3		2
1 Bucy-E cvt pf	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜		1½
1 Budd Mfg	1½	1½	1½	—	1½
4 Budd Wheel	1½	1½	1½	—	1½
1 Bulova Watch	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜	—	1½
4 Burr Ad Mach (.40)	7¾	7¾	7¾	— ⅛	7¾
3 Bush Term	3¼	3¼	3¼	— ⅜	3
3.00 Bush T 7% deb	7¾	7¼	7¼	— ⅛	7½
1 Butte & Sup	1¼	1¼	1¼	—	1¼
1 Butterick	1¾	1¾	1¾	+	1½
13 Byers Co	11⅞	11⅝	11⅝	— ¼	11⅞
.10 Byers pf (7)	44	44	44	—	44
2 Calif Pack	8½	8¼	8½	+ ¼	8½
C					
10 Calumet & Hec	2½	2	2	— ⅛	2⅛
3 Canada D G Ale (1)	9	8⅝	8⅞	+	8½

COTTON PRICES GAIN DURING EVENING-UP

March Closes at 5.91 as General Market Rises 7 to 10 Points.

New York, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Interest in the cotton market centered today on the developments in connection with the first January notices and further evening up of commitments for the Christmas holidays.

Slight opening advances were followed by reactions, but after selling off from 5.87 to 5.82, March rallied to 5.92 in the late trading and closed at 5.91, with the general market closing very steady at net advances of 7 to 10 points.

The opening was 3 to 6 points higher in response to trade buying. Circulation of January notices, estimated at about 20,000 bales, stimulated liquidation, which was absorbed by the trade, partly against sales of later deliveries.

Notices Being Stopped.

The notices, it appeared, were being gradually stopped, and little Southern selling was in evidence, causing prices to firm in the late trading. January advanced to 5.80 and May to 6.04 in the last few minutes and the close was within a point or two of the best.

The stopping of the January notices was accompanied by rumors that part of the cotton was being taken up for Japanese account, and houses with Japanese connections were among the early buyers here. Liverpool cables said that there had been Japanese selling in that market, taken by trade calling and covering on the decline in sterling exchange.

Advices from Bombay to the New York Cotton Exchange said consumption of Indian cotton in India during November amounted to 213,000 running bales, against 204,000 in October, and 196,000 in November last year. For the four months ended November 30, consumption in India amounted to 831,000, against 770,000 last year. Consumption in November was said to be the largest for that month in the history of the Indian industry.

Renewed rains in the Central and Western belts were said to be causing further delay in the movement of cotton in the South. Exports today, 14,411, making 3,946,602 so far this season. Port receipts, 34,960. U. S. port stocks, 4,841,745.

Futures Price Range.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
January	5.72	5.80	5.68	5.78-80
March	5.87	5.92	5.82	5.91-92
May	6.01	6.04	5.93	6.02-03
July	6.13	6.18	6.05	6.16-18
October	6.29	6.33	6.23	6.32-33

Cottonseed Oil.

Cottonseed oil closed steady; prime summer yellow, 3.50; prime crude, 2.37½@2.62½; December, 3.50; January, 3.58; March, 3.72; May, 3.85; June, 3.87; July, 3.99. Sales, 25 contracts.

Commodity Exchanges Will be Closed Today

New York, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—While the New York Stock Exchange and other security markets will transact business tomorrow, many of the commodity exchanges in New York and elsewhere will lengthen the Christmas holiday by suspending from tonight until Tuesday morning.

The New York Cotton, Rubber, Coffee and Sugar, Cocoa and Hide Exchanges will not function tomorrow. Some of the foreign commodity exchanges will also observe the day as an extra holiday.

WASHINGTON PRODUCE

EGGS—(Prices f. o. b. Washington, D. C.) Receipts gaining slowly. Current receipts, 28; storage packed, firsts, large, 30@32; small 23@26; Government graded and dated white eggs, U. S. extras, large, 32; mediums, 30; U. S. standards, large, 31.

LIVE POULTRY—(Prices f. o. b. Washington, D. C.) Young chickens: Rocks, 12@15; mixed colors, 9@12; Leghorns, 6@7. Broiler broilers, 13@14; capons, large, 17@20; small, 13@15; fowls, colored, 10@12; Leghorns, 6@7; roosters, 6@7; ducks, 6@8; 12; turkeys, young hens, 13@16; young toms, 12; old and No. 2s, 8@11; guineas, young, 50@60; old, 30@40 pair.

DRESSED POULTRY — Moderate receipts; offering of young turkeys mostly 18c; for young hens, 15@16; for young toms, 15. Receipts of other classes of poultry too light to quote.

FRUITS.

GRAPES — California, lugs, Emperors, 1.40@1.75.

GRAPEFRUIT—Florida, boxes, 2.25@3.50 according to sizes and quality.

ORANGES—Florida, 2.75@3.50; California, 3.00@4.25.

TANGERINES—Florida, straps, U. S. No. 1, 1.25@1.60, according to size; U. S. No. 2, 1.25@1.35, according to size; bushel crates, 1.75@2.25, according to size.

APPLES—Bushel tubs: Maryland, Virginia and West Virginia, Staymans, U. S. No. 1, 2½ inches minimum, 1.10@1.40; 2¼ inches minimum, 1.50@1.75; Grimes, U. S. No. 1, 2¼ inches minimum, 1.25@1.50; 2½ inches minimum, 65@75; Delicious, U. S. No. 1, 2½ inches minimum, 1.25@1.50; 2¾ inches minimum, 1.50@1.75; 2¾ inches minimum, 1.50@1.75; Grimes, U. S. No. 1, 2½ inches minimum, 1.00@1.25; 2¾ inches minimum, 65@75; Delicious, U. S. No. 1, 2½ inches minimum, 1.25@1.50; 2¾ inches minimum, 1.50@1.75; 2¾ inches minimum, Black Twigs, 1.00@1.25; slack pack, 75@85. Winesap, U. S. No. 1, 2½ inches minimum, Yorks, 1.00; slack pack, 75. Boxes: Washington, extra fancy, Delicious, medium to large sizes, 1.75@2.00; Romes, medium to large sizes, 1.00@1.50.

STRAWBERRIES—Florida, pony refrigerators, various varieties, 30 per pint.

VEGETABLES.

CABBAGE—Old stock New York, 80-lb. sacks, Danish type, 75, few higher; New Stock: South Carolina, 1½-bushel hampers, pointed type, 1.00@1.25.

CELERY—New York, 2-3 crates, washed, 4-5 dozen, 1.25@1.50; California, ½ crates, individually washed and precooled, 3-5 dozen, 2.25@2.75.

LETTUCE—Western stock: Crates, Iceberg type, 4-5 dozen: California, 2.25@3.00; Arizona, 3.00. Southern stock: Florida, 1½-bushel hampers, Big Boston type, 1.00@1.50.

ONIONS—Indiana, Michigan and Ohio, 50-lb. sacks yellows, U. S. No. 1, 60@75.

POTATOES—New York, 100-lb. sacks round whites, U. S. No. 1, 1.00@1.10; Long Island, 150-lb. sacks Cobblers, U. S. No. 1, 2.25; Maine, 100-lb. sacks Green Mountains, U. S. No. 1, 1.25; Idaho, 100-lb. sacks Russet Burbanks, U. S. No. 1, 1.75@1.85.

SWEET POTATOES—North Carolina, bushel baskets Porto Ricans, U. S. No. 1, 50@75.

SNAP BEANS—Florida, bushel hampers, green flat type and round stringless, 1.75@3.25.

CUCUMBERS—Cuba, bushel crates, U. S. No. 1, 5.00.

EGGPLANT—Florida, 1½-bushel crates, 3 dozen 4.00.

OKRA—Florida, bushel hampers, 1.50@2.50; ½-bushel hampers, 2.00.

PEPPERS—Florida, 1½-bushel crates, green, large size, 4.50; small size, 4.00.

SQUASH—Florida, bushel hampers, white, wrapped, 1.00@2.00; yellow, 2.00@2.50.

SPINACH—Texas, bushel baskets, Savoy 3.75@4.25.

LIMA BEANS—Cuba, bushel hampers, type, 1.40@1.50.

KALE—Virginia, bushel baskets, 35@40, few 50.

CARROTS — Texas, bushel crates, Western lettuce crates, 2.50; half lettuce crates, 1.40@1.65.

BEETS—Texas, mixed cars, Western lettuce crates, bunched, 2.50@3.00.

ESCAROLE—Florida, truck receipts, 1½-bushel hampers, 1.25@1.50; poorer, 1.00.

COLLARDS — Virginia, bushel baskets, 40@50.

CAULIFLOWER — California, pony crates, 2.00.

TOMATOES—Florida, lug boxes, green, ripe and turning, wrapped, 6x6 and larger, 3.00; 6x7, 2.50; poorer lower.

BROCCOLI — California and Texas, pea crates, bunched, 1½-2 dozen, 2.50@2.75.

SALSIFY—One hundred bunches, 5.00.

SILK MARKET.

New York, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Raw silk futures closed steady; sales, 1,540 bales. December, 1.32 bid; March, 1.35 bid; May, 1.35 bid. Open market quotations (60-day basis): Shanghai steam extra B, 1.60; Canton double extra A, 14-16s, 1.12; Japanese crack, double extra, 1.60.

NEW YORK BOND MARKET TRANSACTIONS

Total sales, $10,039,000; previous day, $12,279,000; week ago, $11,989,000; year ago, holiday; two years ago, $7,173,000; January 1 to date, $2,908,602,000; same year ago, $3,013,235,000; same two years ago, $2,735,913,000.

U. S. GOVERNMENT BONDS,
(Dollars and thirty-seconds.)

Sale		High.	Low.	Last.
	(Sales in $1,000.)			
3	L 3½ '32-47	102.22	102.20	102.20
62	L 1st 4¼ '32-47.	102.6	102.4	102.6
146	L 4th 4¼ '33-38	103.29	103.25	103.29
8	L 4th4¼ r '33-38	103.28	103.24	103.26
22	Try 4½ '47-52..	109.19	109.15	109.15
42	Try 4 '44-54	108.4	108.30	108.1
26	Try 3¾ '46-56..	104.6	104.4	104.6
31	Try 3¾ '40-43 J	102.11	101.28	101.28
59	Try 3⅜ '43-47..	102.3	101.23	102.3
24	Try 3⅜ '41-43 M	101.26	101.23	101.23
30	Try 3½ '46-49..	99.2	99	99.2
56	Try 3 '51-55 ...	97.14	97.8	97.8

CORPORATION BONDS.

Sale		High.	Low.	Last.
	A			
6	Alleghany 5 '44	26	25¼	25½
30	Am & F P 5 2030.	29	28	28¾
2	Am I G C 5½ '49.	71	71	71
4	Am Intern 5½ '49	76½	76	76
12	Am Smelt 5 '47 ..	82	81	82
1	Am S R 6 '37	105¼	105¼	105¼
31	Am T&T 5½ '43.	108½	108⅜	108⅜
31	Am T&T 5 '65	105½	105	105¼
7	Am T&T cvt 4½ '39	105	104	104
2	Am W W&E 5 '34.	91⅝	91⅝	91⅝
72	Arm Del 5½ '43..	75	75	75
41	A T&S F gen 4 '95	93¼	92¼	92⅝
1	Atl G & W I 5 '59	37½	37½	37½
	B			
56	B & O rfg 6 '95..	36½	33	33
47	B & O rfg 5 '95 ..	33½	29⅜	31½
263	B & O 4½ '33	65¼	61	64⅜
67	B & O cvt 4½ '60	24¼	22½	23
6	Bell T Pa 5 '60 C..	109	108½	109
1	Beth Steel bm 5 '36	94¼	94¼	94¼
25	Bklyn Ed 5 '52 E..	107½	107	107½
14	Bklyn MTrans6 '68	90	89½	89¾
2	Buf R&P 4½ '57 ..	32½	32	32
	C			
7	Can Nat Ry 4½ '57	85¼	84½	85¼
16	Can Nor 7 '40	101	100⅝	101
12	Can Pac 4½ '60	74	74	74
19	Can Pac deb 4 per	67⅛	65⅝	65⅝
8	Cen Ill E&G 5 '51.	72½	72⅛	72½
29	Cen Pac 1 std 4 '49	78¾	78¼	78¼
15	Certain-teed 5½ '48	35	34¼	34¼
49	Chesap Corp 5 '47.	65	63	63
14	C&O gen 4½ '92...	99¾	99	99¾
15	Chi & E Ill 5 '51..	11¾	11	11
1	Chi Nor West 4 '59	32	31⅝	31⅝
77	C M & S P P 5 '75	14½	13⅞	14½
230	CMSP&P adj 5 2000	4¼	3⅞	4¼
136	C & N W cv 4¾ '49	10¼	9¾	10
64	CRI & P cvt 4½ '60	9¾	9	9¼
167	CRI & P rfg 4 '34.	21¼	19	20
13	Chile Cop 5 '47	34½	31½	31½
8	Cinn G & El 4 '68.	97¾	97⅜	97⅜
1	Cinn Un T 4½ 2020	97¾	97¾	97¾
1	Cleve Un T 4½ '77C	58	58	58
5	Col G&E 5 '52 May	83½	83	83½
38	Coml Inv T 5¾ '49	100	100	100
14	Con G NY 5½ '45	106½	106¼	106¼
6	Cuba N Rys 5½ '42	16¼	15⅝	16
	D			
9	Deere & Co	8½	8	8
10	De Forest	⅛	⅛	⅛
2	Detroit Aircraft	⅛	⅛	⅛
2	Duval Tex	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜
	E			
2	EastGas&F pf (6)	53½	53	53⅜
1	Easy Wash M B....	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
7	Eisler Elec	1	1	1
224	El Bond&Sh (6%f)	17	15	16⅛
6	El Bond&Sh pf (6)	40	39½	40
1	El Bo & Sh 5 pf(5)	35	35	35
1	El Pow As A (.80g)	3¼	3⅜	3⅜
25	El P&L 2d pf A....	8½	8½	8½
1.50	Emp G&F 6½ pf....	13½	12½	12½
25	Emp G&F 6½ pf....	12½	12½	12½
	1 Employ Reins (1.60)	17½	17½	17½
20	Europ El deb rts....	⅛	⅛	⅛
	F			
10	F E D Cor St (14g)	3¾	3¾	3¾
2	Fiat rcts	9	9	9
5	Fisk Rub	1¼	1¼	1¼
4	Flintkote A.....	5½	5½	5½
5	Ford M Can A....	5½	5½	5½
7	Ford Mot Ltd	3½	3½	3½
2	Franklin Mfg	⅛	⅛	⅛
	G			
1	Gen Aviation	2½	2½	2½
6	G El L rct (.20¼g)	6¾	6¼	6¼
10	Gen Pub S pf....	35	35	35
1	Gen Th Eq cv pf..	¼	¼	¼
1	Glen Alden	8½	8½	8½
2	Globe Under (.35g)	4	4	4
3	Gold Seal Elec	¼	¼	¼
32	Goldman Sachs	3¾	3⅜	3⅜
.50	Gorh Inc pf	8¼	8¼	8¼
10	Gt A & P nv (7b)	140	140	140
3	Gt Nor Pap (1.60)	12¾	12¾	12¾
1	Greir Stirs pf ww.	5	5	5
1	Gulf Oil Pa	26½	26½	26½
	H			
6	Helena Rubin	⅝	⅝	⅝
1	Hires A (2)	17½	17½	17½
3	Hudson Bay M & S	2¾	2¾	2¾
6	Humble Oil (2)	44	43¾	44
101	Huyler's, Del	1	¾	1
1	Hydro El Sec	6¾	6¾	6¾
	I			
1	Imp Oil Can (½) ..	7½	7½	7½
1	Imp T B (.745g) ..	15⅞	15⅞	15⅞
2.60	Ins Co N Am (2) ..	34	33½	33½
1	Insuran Sec	⅞	⅞	⅞
.25	Int Cig Mach (1½)	20	20	20
36	Internat Pet (1)..	⅞	⅞	⅞
1	Inter Util A	6¼	6¼	6¼
14	Inter Util B	1¼	1	1¼
1	Irving Air Ch (.40)	5	5	5
2	Ital Superp A	1¾	1¼	1¼
	J			
1	Jonas Naum	½	½	½
1	Jonas Naum pf	17¾	17¾	17¾
	K			
5	Kirby Pet	¾	¾	¾
	L			
3	Lake Sh M (2½b)	29½	29½	29½
3	Lefcourt Real	1	1	1
1	Lerner Strs pf	19¾	19¾	19¾
26	Leonard Oil	⅛	⅛	⅛
1	Liberty Bak Corp.	2	2	2
1	Lion Oil	6½	6½	6½
1	Lone Star G (.64f)	6½	6½	6½
2	Louis L & E	⅛	⅛	⅛
1	Manzel Stirs pf	9½	9½	9½
1	Mapes Cons (3)	24¼	24¼	24¼
	M			
5	Mass Util Asso	2½	2½	2½
1	Mayflower Asso (2)	28	28	28
5	Memphis N Gas	3¾	3	3
10	Mid West Util	⅛	⅛	⅛
1	Mid W Ut pf xw....	⅛	⅛	⅛
6	Mount & G O	⅛	⅛	⅛
1	Mount Prod (.80) ..	3¼	3¼	3¼
1	Municipal Svc	5¼	5¼	5¼
	N			
4	Nat Avia	5¾	5½	5½
1	Nat Bancservice	⅛	⅛	⅛
15	Nat Bellas Hess	1¼	1	1⅛
1	Nat Bd & Sh (1)..	22	22	22
1	Nat Fuel G (1)	12½	12½	12½
9	Nat Investors	3¾	3¾	3¾
.50	Nat P&L 6% pf (6)	63	63	63
1	Neptune Met A	4	4	4
1	Newberry (J A) (1)	12¾	12¾	12¾
.10	New E P pf (6) ..	46	46	46
3	N J Zinc (2)	26½	26	26¼
3	N Mex & A	⅛	⅛	⅛
8	.10 Newmont Min	14½	12½	14½
.75	N Y T 6½ pf (6½)	114¾	114¼	114¾
1	N Y Tran (.90b) ..	3¾	3¾	3¾
9	Niag H P (1.20) ..	15	14¾	14¾
1	N S M B (.20)XD	4¾	4¾	4¾
4.80	Niles-Bem-P	5	4¾	5
5	Nipissing Mines	⅛	⅛	⅛
7.50	Nitrate B	⅛	⅛	⅛
7	Noma Elec	2	2	2
2	Nor Europ Oil	⅛	⅛	⅛
3	Nor Pipe L (½)....	5¼	4¾	5¼
2	Nor States P A (6)	39	39	39
	O			
2	Ohio Cop	⅛	⅛	⅛
	P			
1	Pac G&E 1 pf (1½)	24¼	24¼	24¼
5	Pac West Oil	4¼	4¼	4¼

Sale		High	Low	Last
7	Cuba C Prod 6 '50.	1	⅞	⅞
	D			
12	Del & H rfg 4 '43	78¾	78½	78½
3	D & R G con 4 '36	31½	31¼	31¼
33	Det Ed 5 '49 A	101½	101	101
8	Det Ed 4½ '61 D.	97	96¾	97
14	Dodge B deb 6 '40	88½	88½	88½
18	Duque Lt 4½ '67A	104⅝	104⅛	104½
	E			
29	Erie rf&imp 5 '67.	21	20	21
4	Erie gen lien 4 '96	40	39½	39½
	G			
3	Gen Mot Ac 6 '37	102½	102⅜	102⅜
4	Gen Steel C 5½ '49	57¼	55¼	55¼
30	Gen Th Equip 6 '40	1½	1¼	1½
16	Goodyr T&R 5 '57	79	78½	79
1	Gr Tk Ry Can 6 '36	99½	98½	98½
54	Gt Nor Ry 7 '36 A	57½	56¼	56½
	H			
8	Hudson Coal 5 '62 A	31	30	31
5	Hud & M rfg 5 '57A	83	83	83
17	H & M adj inc 5 '57	52	51	51
	I			
23	Ill Bell Tel 5 '56..	106⅞	106⅛	106¼
32	Ill Cen 4¾ '66	32	31	31
54	IC&CSL&NOr5 '63A	39	36½	36½
2	Inland St 4½ '78 A	75¾	75¾	75¾
119	Interb R T 7 '32..	59¼	57	57¼
300	Interb R T rfg 5 '66	46¾	43	45
5	Int Cement 5 '48...	53½	53⅛	53½
1	Int Gt N adj 6 '52	3¼	3¼	3¼
13	Int Hy Elec 6 '44..	38¾	37½	37¾
9	Int Pap cvt 5 '47A	38	37	37½
57	Int T&T cvt 4½ '39	27¼	25	26¾
31	Int T&T deb 5 '55..	24¾	23	24
	K			
9	K C P & L 4½ '61.	103¼	103	103¼
7	K C South rfg 5 '50	42	42	42
27	K C Term 1 4 '60.	89¾	89¼	89½
1	Kan G & E 4½ '80.	91½	91½	91½
	L			
1	Lac Gas 5½ '53....	61	61	61
19	Lautaro Nitra 6 '54	3	2½	3
3	Liggett & M 5 '51..	107	107	107
1	Loew's Inc 6 '41...	80¾	80¾	80¾
16	Lorillard Co 5 '51..	96⅝	96⅝	96⅝
13	L & N unified 4 '40	82	81¾	81¾
	M			
15	Manhat Ry 4 '90....	27¾	27	27½
12	McK & Rob 5½ '50	33¼	33	33
1	Midvale Stl cvt 5 '36	94	94	94
5	MilER&L 1st 5 '61B	77¼	77⅛	77⅛
1	MSP&SSM con 4 '38	35	35	35
45	Mo Pac cvt 5½ '49.	8	7	7
82	Mo Pac 5 '77 F....	19	17⅝	18⅞
38	Mo Pac gen 4 '75...	8¾	7½	8½
89	Mo Pac 1st 5 '81....	19	17⅝	19
3	Mont Pw rfg 5 '43A	83	82½	82½
9	Nat Dairy 5¼ '48..	84⅛	84⅝	84⅝
29	Natl Steel 5 '56....	78	77	78
5	N Eng T&T 5 '52..	109	108¾	108¾
4	N O Pub Sv 5 '55 B	57½	57¼	57¼
47	NYC rfdmp 5 '2013	58¾	58	58¾
31	NYC&HR deb 4 '34.	65¾	64	64½
10	NY C&StL 4½ '78 C	12¾	11½	11½
24	NY Ed rfg 6½ '41.	113⅛	113	113⅞
13	NYNH & H 1&r 4½	59½	58¾	59¼
14	NY T gen 4½ '39	104½	104¼	104¼
2	NY W & B 4½ '46.	39¾	39⅝	39¾
2	Niag Shrs 5½ '50.	58⅝	58⅝	58⅝
5	Nor Am Co 5 '61..	84½	84½	84½
12	N Am Ed 5 '69 C	75¼	75	75

Sale		High.	Low.	Last.
9	Nor Pac 6 2047 B	65	65	65
12	Nor P pr lien 4 '97	82¾	82½	82¾
5	Nor St P 5 '41 A.	102½	102¼	102½
	O			
6	Ore-W RR&N 4 '61	81½	81⅜	81⅜
9	Otis Steel 6 '41	19	18	18
	P			
9	Pac G & El 5 '42.	104½	104	104½
8	Pac T & T 5 '37..	106⅞	106⅛	106⅛
18	Para Publix 5½ '50	14¼	12⅝	13½
30	Pen P&L 4½ '81.	93⅝	93	93
13	Pen R R 4¾ '63..	79	78½	79
19	Pen RR gen 4½ '65	80½	80	80
21	Pen R R 4½ '70 D.	58½	56½	57½
35	Phila Co 5 '67	84½	84	84
1	Phil R C&I 6 '49..	42	42	42
8	Phillips P 5½ '39.	71	70¾	70⅝
10	Portl G E 4½ '60.	60	58¼	60
16	Postal T&C 5 '53 ..	18½	15¾	16
6	Pure Oil 5½ '37..	77¾	77	77
7	Read gen 4½ '97 A	82½	82½	82½
3	Rem Rand 5½ '47.	46	46	46
	S			
6	SLDM&S4R&Cdiv'33	38	36	36
30	St L S F 4½ '78 ..	6¼	6	6
20	St L S F 4 '50 A..	8¾	7⅞	8
45	Seab A L con 6 '45	2¼	2	2
16	Shell Pipe L 5 '52	84½	84	84
14	Shell Un 6 '49 ww	83¼	83	83⅛
8	Sinc C Oil col 7 '37	98½	98½	98½
15	Sinc Cr Oil 5½ '38	101⅝	101¼	101⅝
16	Skelly Oil 5½ '39..	64	63¾	64
5	Sou Pac 4½ '68	44⅛	42	44⅛
19	So Pac 4½ '69 ww	43	41½	43
50	South Ry con 5 '94	50	49½	50
11	South Ry gen 4 '56	15½	14	15½
24	St Oil N J deb 5 '46	104½	104⅛	104⅛
14	St Oil N Y 4½ '51	97	96½	97
	T			
7	Tenn El P rfg6 '47A	95¾	94¾	94¾
26	Tex Corp 5 cvt '44	89⅞	89½	89½
15	Tob Pr NJ 6½ 2022	95	94¾	94¾
	U			
12	Un Pac 1st 4 '47..	98½	98	98⅜
31	Unit Drg Del 5 '53.	59¾	58⅝	59
4	U S Rub 5 '47	45	44¾	44¾
10	Utah Pow & L 5 '44	67½	66½	66¾
26	UtilPow&L4 5 '59ww	25	23¼	23¼
	V			
2	Vanadium 5 '41....	45	44½	44½
2	Virginia Ry 5 '62..	91	91	91
	W			
29	Warner Br P 6 '39.	19	18½	18¾
4	Wester E E 5 '44...	99½	99½	99½
1	West Md 4 '52	54¾	54¼	54¼
6	West Pac 1st 5 '46.	25	24	24
1	WestPen Pw 5 '56C.	105⅝	105⅝	105⅝
1	Western Un 5 '51..	55	55	55
5	Western Un 5 '60..	55	55	55
5	Wheel St 4½ '53B	53½	53	53
13	Wilson&Co 1st 6 '41	89½	89½	89¼
	Y			
11	Yngst'n S&T 5 '78.	53¼	52	52
	FOREIGN BONDS.			
9	Abitibi P & P 5 '53.	11½	11½	11½
28	Akershus 5 '63....	69½	67½	67½
14	Argentine 6 '57 A..	40	39½	39¾
14	Australia 5 '55....	40	39½	39⅝
13	Arg 6 '61 Feb.....	41	39½	41
2	Arg 6 '61 May.....	40	40	40
16	Australia 5 '55....	74¼	73¼	73¼
10	Australia 4½ '56...	69½	69	69
14	Austria gtd 7 '43...	90½	90	90
15	Batav Pet 4½ '42..	93½	93⅛	93½
24	Belgium 7 '55.....	102½	102	102
20	Belgium 6 '58.....	93¼	93⅛	93⅛
8	Berlin C El 6½ '51.	62	61	61
16	Bolivia 8 '47.....	4⅜	3⅜	3⅝
18	Brazil 8 '41.....	17½	17	17
13	Brazil 6½ '26-57...	15¾	15¼	15½
23	Brazil 6½ '27-57...	15¼	14⅝	15
80	British 5½ '37....	105⅜	105⅛	105⅜
10	Budapest 6 '27-62..	23½	23⅛	23⅛
6	Buenos A 6 '61.....	18¼	18	18
2	Bulgaria 7½ '68....	22½	22⅛	22⅛
63	Canada 5 '52.....	99½	99	99¼
50	Canada 4 '60.....	85¾	84⅝	85¾
4	Chile M Bk 6¾ '61	12¾	12⅝	12⅝
9	Chile 6 '60.....	5¼	4⅝	5
11	Chile 6 '61.....	5¼	4¾	4¾
3	Colomb 6 '61 Oct...	29⅜	29¼	29¼
2	Copenhagen 5 '52..	71	71	71
2	Denmark 4½ '62....	72	72	72
12	Duke P Pow 8 '66	44⅝	44	44
7	French 7½ '41	126½	126	126
11	French 7 '49	119	118¾	118¾
45	Ger C A B 6 '38 Ap	61	59	61
61	Ger C A B 6 '60 Oct	51½	50½	51½
179	Ger Gov Int 5½ '65	55½	53⅞	55½
8	Ger Rep 7 '49	76½	75½	75½
14	Ger St El 6 '48....	43¼	42	42
13	Gt C El P Jap 7 '44	42	42	42
13	Hung Mun 7½ '45..	10	10	10
18	Iseder Steel 8 '48.	46½	46⅛	46⅛
8	Ital Pub Util 7 '52	90	90	90
9	Italy 7 '51	98¼	98¼	98½
17	Japan 6½ '54	61	60⅝	61
2	Marseilles 6 '34....	104¾	104¾	104¾
3	Met Water 5½ '60.	69½	68½	68½
35	Milan City 6½ '52.	85	85¼	84¾
1	Min Geraes 6½ '59	9¾	9¾	9¾
	N			
3	New S Wales 5 '57	72	72	72
53	Nor Ger Lloyd 6 '47	49½	48½	49⅛
18	Norway 6 '44	85¼	84	84
3	Norway 5 '63	79½	78	78
	O			
1	Orient D Ltd5½ '58	42	42	42
	P			
1	Panama 5 '63 A...	45¾	45⅝	45⅝
6	Par-Ori RR 5½ '68	102	101	101
16	Peru 1st 6 '60	3¾	3½	3½
8	Poland 8 '50.....	58½	58	58
19	Poland 7 '47	52¾	52¼	52¾
21	Prussia 6 '52.....	50¼	49½	50¼
28	Rhine W 6 '55 ww	54½	53	53
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YACHT MAYFLOWER BUYER IS ARRESTED

Parish, Who Built Fortune Before 36, Is Accused of Stealing Bonds.

New York, Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Frank P. Parish, who made a $16,000,000 fortune, bought the former presidential yacht Mayflower and organized a $30,000,000 pipe line company by the time he was 36 years old, surrendered on a grand larceny indictment today, and denied the charge.

Parish, who has homes in Kansas City and East Orange, N. J., organized the Missouri-Kansas Pipe Line Co., now in receivership, to bring natural gas 1,200 miles from the Southwest to Illinois. He was president and a director of the company.

William G. McGuire, president of W. G. McGuire, Inc., a Delaware corporation with offices in Chicago, who was one of the largest stockholders in the pipe line company, filed the charges on which Parish was indicted here yesterday.

$127,000 Worth of Bonds.

The indictment charges the larceny of $127,000 worth of bonds from the pipe line company and of three promissory notes aggregating $63,500 on which Ralph B. Mayo, also a stockholder, nominally advanced money to the company.

Maguire said the money advanced by Mayo actually came from his own pocket. He chose this method of assisting the company, he declared, because he did not wish it to become known that he was providing the funds.

Parish appeared before the grand jury at his own request, waiving immunity. He is reported to have shown the jurors photostatic copies of the bonds and to have made no denial that they were in his possession.

Released in $5,000 Bail.

He was taken to police headquarters following his surrender today, fingerprinted and released in $5,000 bail. A Federal grand jury in Chicago indicted him last March on charges of using the mails to defraud.

Parish acquired the yacht Mayflower in 1931 for $16,105, the bid being made by an employe. It was to have been recommissioned and made ready for service last summer.

The young pipe-line magnate's fortune is reported to have dwindled considerably from the $16,000,000 it was rated several years ago.

Metropolitan Joins In Art Controversy

Museum's Experts Doubt Origin of 4 Drawings Left by Gregory.

Madison, Wis., Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Doubt as to the authenticity of four drawings which precipitated a minor "art war" in Madison some time ago and which are hanging in the State Historical Society's art gallery has been expressed by certain members of the Metropolitan Museum of Art, Dr. Joseph Schafer, superintendent of the society, said today.

The drawings are from the Charles Nobel Gregory collection which was bequeathed to the society by Mr. Gregory, former law school dean, who died in Washington, D. C., July 10, 1932.

Upon their arrival here, Laurence Schmeckebier, assistant professor of art history, pronounced them spurious. His study of art, he said, led him to believe that works attributed to Michelangelo, Rubens, Raphael and others were falsely credited.

Four of the drawings questioned by Mr. Schmeckebier were at once tagged as of questionable authenticity and Eastern museum directors were asked to suggest means of further investigation. One expert recommended by them is now in Europe and on his return March 1 the drawings will be sent to him for study, Dr. Schafer said.

Mrs. Simms Back In Domestic Role

Former Ruth Hanna Says She Has Lost Desire to Be Politician.

(Associated Press.)

Mrs. Albert Gallatin Simms, who as Representative Ruth Hanna McCormick once wanted to be senator, is back in the Capital without, she said yesterday, experiencing any stirring of political ambition.

Speaking both for herself and the husband whom she met as a colleague in the House of Representatives, Mrs. Simms said: "We will, of course, be politically active always, but we have no personal political ambitions. I'm too enchanted with the State of New Mexico to want to leave it."

The two came East expecting to spend Christmas at the country home of Mrs. Simms' daughter, Miss Katrina McCormick, at Middleburg, Va., but Mr. Simms had an attack of bronchitis and Mrs. Simms opened her Georgetown home, where the family, including the three McCormick children, Katrina, Medill and Bazie, will stay through the holidays.

Hoover Turns Away Press Again.
(Associated Press.)

President Hoover yesterday canceled his scheduled press conference, bringing close to 30 the consecutive cancellations of his meetings with the correspondents.

LEGAL NOTICES

J. ONSBY SMITH, Attorney.
1875 California street northwest.

SUPREME COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF Columbia, holding Probate Court. No. 44087, Administration. This is to give notice that the subscriber, of the District of Columbia, has obtained from the Probate Court of the District of Columbia letters of administration on the estate of William E. Lentz, late of the District of Columbia, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 28TH DAY OF OCTOBER, A. D. 1933; otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 12th day of December, 1932. MINNIE H. LENTZ, 3654 New Hampshire avenue northwest. Attest: (Seal.) THEODORE COGSWELL, Register of Wills for the District of Columbia, Clerk of the Probate Court. de17.24.31

GEORGE H. REGES, Jr., Attorney,
3339 17th St. N.W.

SUPREME COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF Columbia, holding Probate Court. No. 44180, Administration. This is to give notice that the subscriber, of the District of Columbia, has obtained from the Probate Court of the District of Columbia letters testamentary on the estate of Peter B. Forsyth, late of the District of Columbia, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, legally authenticated, to the subscriber on or before the 8TH DAY OF DECEMBER, A. D. 1933; otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 8th day of December, 1932. ROY J. CAREW, 933 L street northwest, apartment 807. Attest: (Seal.) THEODORE COGSWELL, Register of Wills for the District of Columbia, Clerk of the Probate Court. 17.24.31

LEGAL NOTICES

ALEXANDER R. BELL, W. CAMERON BURTON, Attorneys.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE DISTRICT of Columbia, John R. Blackstone, Isabel Blackstone, plaintiffs vs. Rae Payne Brown, defendant. No. 54984, Equity Docket. The object of this suit is to have partition of part of lot numbered 29 in block numbered 7 in F. W. Jones' subdivision called "Ivy City," as per plat recorded in book Levy Court 2, at page 76, in the surveyor's office of the District of Columbia, the same being more particularly described in the bill of complaint filed herein. On motion of the plaintiffs, it is this 8th day of December, 1932, ordered that the defendant, Rae Payne Brown, cause her appearance to be entered herein on or before the fortieth day, exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays, occurring after the day of the first publication of this order; otherwise the cause will be proceeded with as in case of default. Provided, a copy of this order be published once a week for three successive weeks in the Washington Law Reporter and The Washington Post before said day. OSCAR R. LUHRING, Justice. A true copy. Attest: (Seal.) FRANK E. CUNNINGHAM, Clerk. By HARRY M. HULL, Assistant Clerk. Filed December 8, 1932. FRANK E. CUNNINGHAM, Clerk. de10,17,24.

CHAPIN B. BAUMAN, Attorney
600 F St. NW.

SUPREME COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF Columbia holding Probate Court. No. 44210, administration. This is to give notice that the subscribers, of the District of Columbia, have obtained from the Probate Court of the District of Columbia letters testamentary on the estate of James M. Beall, late of the District of Columbia, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, legally authenticated, to the subscribers, on or before the 30TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, A. D. 1933; otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under our hands this 30th day of November, 1932. NONA J. BEALL, 5317 Sixteenth street northwest; WILLIAM H. HARRISON, 1438 Kennedy street northwest. Attest: (Seal.) THEODORE COGSWELL, Register of Wills for the District of Columbia, Clerk of the Probate Court. 10,17,24

RICHARD H. WILMER, Attorney
Transportation Building.

SUPREME COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF Columbia, holding Probate Court. No. 44289, Administration. This is to give notice that the subscriber, of State of Maryland, has obtained from the Probate Court of the District of Columbia ancillary letters testamentary on the estate of Henrietta Laura McCormick-Goodhart, sometimes known as Nettie L. McCormick-Goodhart, late of the State of Maryland, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, legally authenticated, to the subscriber on or before the 13TH DAY OF DECEMBER, A. D. 1933; otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 13th day of December, 1932. FREDERICK HAMILTON McCORMICK-GOODHART, Silver Spring, Maryland. Attest: (Seal.) THEODORE COGSWELL, Register of Wills for the District of Columbia, Clerk of the Probate Court. de17,24,31

LECKIE & SHERIER, Attorneys
1001 15th St. NW.

SUPREME COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF Columbia holding Probate Court. No. 44163, Administration. This is to give notice that the subscriber, of the District of Columbia, has obtained from the Probate Court of the District of Columbia letters testamentary on the estate of Florence Elizabeth Costinet late of the District of Columbia, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 1ST DAY OF DECEMBER A. D. 1933; otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 6th day of December, 1932. PEARL VIRGINIA MERRING, Navy Yard, Washington, D. C. Attest: (Seal.) THEODORE COGSWELL, Register of Wills for the District of Columbia, Clerk of Probate Court. 10.17,24

DAVID N. HOUSTON, Attorney
American Security & Trust Co.

SUPREME COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF Columbia holding Probate Court. No. 44153, administration. This is to give notice that the subscriber, of the District of Columbia, has obtained from the Probate Court of the District of Columbia letters testamentary on the estate of Michael A. Mess, late of the District of Columbia, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 21ST DAY OF NOVEMBER, A. D. 1933; otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 6th day of December, 1932. AMERICAN SECURITY & TRUST CO. By A. H. SHILLINGTON, Assistant Secretary. Attest: (Seal.) THEODORE COGSWELL, Register of Wills for the District of Columbia, Clerk of the Probate Court. 10.17.24

CORNELIUS H. DOHERTY, Attorney
1010 Vermont Avenue.

SUPREME COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF Columbia, holding Probate Court. Estate of Leopoldine Hansen, deceased. No. 44286. Administration Docket, 96. Application having been made herein for letters of administration on said estate by Jennings A. Snider, it is ordered this 22d day of December, A. D. 1932, that Mrs. Amalie C. Hansen, Weidman, Mich.; Mrs. Lucy Swett, Weidman, Mich.; Lillian H. Haliburton, Adele street, Roslindale, Mass.; Nelson J. Hansen, 757 South Mantosa avenue, Los Angeles, Calif., and Washington Sanitarium, Takoma Park, Md., and all others concerned, appear in said court on MONDAY, THE 30TH DAY OF JANUARY, A. D. 1933, at 10 o'clock a. m., to show cause why such application should not be granted. Let notice hereof be published in the Washington Law Reporter and The Washington Post once in each of three successive weeks before the return day herein mentioned, the first publication to be not less than thirty days before said return day. JAMES M. PROCTOR, Justice. Attest: (Seal.) VICTOR S. MERSCH, Deputy Register of Wills for the District of Columbia, Clerk of the Probate Court. de24,31ja7

AUCTION SALES

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1932—
THOS. J. OWEN & SON, Auctioneers.
1431 Eye Street Northwest.

TRUSTEES' SALE OF VALUABLE TWO-STORY BRICK DWELLING, LOCATED AT 423 TWENTY-THIRD PLACE NORTHEAST.
By virtue of a certain deed of trust duly recorded June 15, 1932 as instrument No. 15407, of the land records of the District of Columbia, and at the request of the party secured thereby, the undersigned trustees will sell at public auction within the office of Thos. J. Owen & Son, 1431 Eye street northwest, on TUESDAY, THE TWENTY-SEVENTH DAY OF DECEMBER, A. D. 1932, AT ONE O'CLOCK P. M., the following described land and premises, situate in the District of Columbia, and designated as and being lot 5, square 4523.
TERMS: Sold subject to a prior deed of trust for $3,250, further particulars of which will be announced at time of sale; the purchase price above said trust to be paid in cash. A deposit of $300 required. Conveyancing, recording, &c., at the purchaser's cost. Terms to be complied with within 30 days, otherwise deposit forfeited and the property may be advertised and resold at the discretion of the trustees.
WILLIAM A. FAUCETTE,
LOUIS L. HASTINGS,
Trustees.
Dec. 21,22,23,24,27

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 30, 1932—
THOS. J. OWEN & SON, Auctioneers.

TRUSTEES' SALE OF VALUABLE BRICK DWELLING AT 3734 NINTH STREET NORTHWEST.
By virtue of a certain deed of trust duly recorded in liber 5475, folio 126 et seq., of land records of District of Columbia, and at request of party secured thereby, the undersigned trustees will sell, at public auction, in front of the premises on FRIDAY, THE THIRTIETH DAY OF DECEMBER, A. D. 1932, AT THREE-THIRTY O'CLOCK P. M., the following-described land and premises, situate in District of Columbia, and designated as and being lot 84 in Dwight J. Partello's subdivision of lots in square 2901 as per plat recorded in liber 74, folio 48, of the records of the office of Surveyor of District of Columbia. Subject to building restriction lines as shown on said plat.
TERMS OF SALE: Sold subject to a prior deed of trust for $4,000.00, further particulars at time of sale; the purchase price above said trust to be paid in cash. A deposit of $300.00 required. Conveyancing, recording, etc., at purchaser's cost. Terms to be complied with within fifteen days, otherwise deposit forfeited and property may be advertised and resold at discretion of the trustees.
FRANCIS G. ADDISON, JR.,
Described in said deed of trust as Francis G. Addison.
FRED McKEE, Trustees.
P—de20,22,24,27,29,30

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 4, 1933.
ADAM A. WESCHLER & SON, Auctioneers.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF TWO-STORY, SIX-ROOM BRICK DWELLING NO. 221 EYE STREET S. W.
By virtue of a deed of trust recorded November 12, 1923, as instrument No. 147 of the land records of the District of Columbia, and at request of party secured thereby, the undersigned surviving trustee will offer for sale by public auction, in front of premises, on WEDNESDAY, THE FOURTH DAY OF JANUARY, 1933, AT FOUR O'CLOCK P. M., the following-described property in the District of Columbia, to-wit: Lot 60 in Smithson and Richard's subdivision of lots in square 589, as per plat recorded in the office of the surveyor of the District of Columbia, in liber 20, at folio 11.
TERMS OF SALE: Cash. A deposit of $200.00 required of purchaser at sale. Examination of title, conveyancing, recording and revenue stamps and notarial fees at cost of purchaser. Terms to be complied with within thirty days from day of sale, otherwise trustee reserves the right to resell property at risk and cost of defaulting purchaser, after five days advertisement of such resale in some newspaper published in Washington, D. C., or deposit may be forfeited, or without forfeiting deposit trustee may avail himself of any legal or equitable rights against defaulting purchaser.
JAMES T. EDWARDS, Surviving Trustee.
P.—21,24,27,30,ja4.

AUCTION SALES

TUESDAY, JANUARY 3, 1933—
THOMAS J. OWEN & SON, Auctioneers.
1431 Eye Street Northwest.

TRUSTEES' SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE BEING A TWO-STORY BRICK DWELLING, CONTAINING SIX ROOMS AND BATH, WITH GARAGE, KNOWN AS 2002 M STREET NORTHEAST.
By virtue of a certain Deed of Trust recorded in Liber No. 6593 at folio 407, of the Land Records of the District of Columbia and at the request of the party secured thereby, the undersigned will sell at public auction in front of the premises on TUESDAY, JANUARY 3, 1933, AT THREE O'CLOCK, P. M., the following described land and premises situate in the District of Columbia, and being Lot numbered ten (10) in Square numbered forty-four hundred forty-five (4445) in Henry H. Gilfrey, Trustee's subdivision of "City View Heights," as per plat recorded in the office of the Surveyor for the District of Columbia in Liber County 24 at folio 1, upon the following terms:
TERMS OF SALE—Said property is subject to a Deed of Trust securing an indebtedness of $4,500.00, and said property will be sold subject to said Deed of Trust indebtedness. All cash over and above said Deed of Trust. Interest and taxes to be paid or adjusted to date of sale. A deposit of $250.00 will be required at the time of sale. All conveyancing, recording, revenue stamps, &c., at the cost of purchaser. Good title or no sale. Terms of sale to be complied with within thirty (30) days from day of sale, otherwise deposit will be forfeited and property resold at risk and cost of defaulting purchaser after five (5) days advertisement of such resale in some newspaper published in Washington, D. C.
DAVID A. BAER,
GEORGE A. WILSON,
Trustees.
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THURSDAY, JANUARY 5, 1932—
THOMAS J. OWEN & SON, Auctioneers.
1431 Eye Street Northwest.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE, BEING A TWO-STORY BRICK DWELLING, CONTAINING SIX ROOMS AND BATH, WITH BUILT-IN GARAGE, KNOWN AS 3865 BEECHER STREET NORTHWEST.
By virtue of a certain deed of trust, recorded in Liber No. 6253 at folio 449 of the Land Records of the District of Columbia, and at the request of the party secured thereby, the undersigned will sell at public auction in front of the premises on THURSDAY, JANUARY, 5TH, 1933, at THREE O'CLOCK P. M., the following described land and premises situate in the District of Columbia, and being lot numbered ten hundred and sixty-two (1062) in subdivision made by Benjamin H. Gruver in square numbered thirteen hundred and one (1301) as per plat recorded in Liber No. 89, folio 111 of the records of the Office of the Surveyor for the District of Columbia, upon the following terms:
TERMS OF SALE: Purchaser to pay one-third of the purchase price in cash, the balance in two installments in one and two years, respectively, with interest at the rate of six (6) per centum per annum, and secured by deed of trust on the property sold, or all cash at the option of the purchaser; taxes paid or adjusted to the date of sale; purchaser to pay interest on purchase price from date of sale to date of settlement at six (6) per centum per annum; all conveyancing, recording, revenue stamps, &c., at the cost of the purchaser; good title or no sale; a deposit of $250.00 will be required at the time of sale and settlement to be within thirty (30) days of the date of sale, or deposit forfeited, and the property resold at the cost and risk of the defaulting purchaser after five (5) days' previous advertisement of said resale in some newspaper published in Washington, D. C.
J. WRILEY JACOBS,
Surviving Trustee,
925 15th St. N.W.
P—de22,24,27,28,29,30,31ja3,4,5

FRIDAY, JANUARY 6, 1933—
THOS. J. OWEN & SON, Auctioneers.
1431 Eye Street Northwest.

TRUSTEES' SALE OF VALUABLE THREE-STORY BRICK DWELLING, BEING PREMISES NO. 1817 TENTH STREET NORTHWEST.
By virtue of a certain deed of trust duly recorded, in liber No. 6538, folio 269, et seq., of the land records of the District of Columbia and at the request of the party secured thereby the undersigned trustees will sell, at public auction in front of the premises on FRIDAY, THE 6TH DAY OF JANUARY, A. D. 1933, AT 3:30 O'CLOCK, P. M., the following-described land and premises, situate in the District of Columbia, and designated as and being lot 252 in Hensey's subdivision of lots in square 362, as per plat recorded in the Office of the Surveyor of the District of Columbia in liber 19, folio 155, subject to agreement recorded in liber 1457, folio 197, in aforesaid land records.
TERMS: Sold subject to a prior deed of trust for $6,500, further particulars of which will be announced at time of sale; the purchase price above said trust to be paid in cash. A deposit of $300 required. Conveyancing, recording, &c., at purchaser's cost. Terms to be complied with within thirty days, otherwise deposit forfeited and the property may be advertised and resold at the discretion of the trustees.
HENRY SALUS,
MOE OFFENBERG, Trustees.
dee24,28,31:jan3,6:

PROPOSALS

TREASURY DEPARTMENT. Office of the Supervising Architect, Washington, D. C., December 22, 1932. Sealed bids, in duplicate, subject to the conditions contained herein, will be publicly opened in this office at 3 p. m., February 2, 1933, for furnishing all labor and materials and performing all work for new vaults, &c., in the U. S. Treasury Building at Washington, D. C. The prevailing rate of wage shall be paid all laborers and mechanics employed on the project as provided in the act of March 3, 1931 (Public No. 798). Drawings and specifications, not exceeding three sets, may be obtained at this office in the discretion of the supervising architect by any satisfactory general contractor, and provided a deposit of $25 is made for each set to assure its prompt return. One set will be furnished builders' exchanges, chambers of commerce or other organizations who will guarantee to make them available for any subcontractor or material firm interested and to quantity surveyors, provided a deposit of $25 is made to assure its prompt return. Checks offered as deposits must be made payable to the order of the Treasurer of the United States. Cash deposits will not be accepted. JAS. A. WETMORE, Acting Supervising Architect. 24,27,29

LOST 1

BEADS—Strings of crystals; Tuesday; great sentimental value to owner. Reward. Georgia 0192 after 6 p. m.

BOSTON zipper black bag, on December 16. Contents, Bethesda tax paper, real estate letter, &c. $2 reward for return to J. W. Kincheloe, Rectortown, Va.

CHANGE PURSE—Black; between Treasury and Young Men's Shop, at noon, Wednesday. Reward. EM. 5526.

DISC WHEEL—Red wheel and tire, from taxicab. Call West 1472. Reward. C. O. Leeth, 3403 Dent pl. nw.

ON Saturday, Dec. 17, gold wrist watch; marked Wilson M. Wing. Reward. Finder please call Falls Church 422.

PIN—Phi Kappa Alpha; Clinton D. Vernon. Call Col. 3600, Apt. 726.

POCKETBOOK—Black; in vicinity Delafield pl.; containing money and valuable papers. Reward. Miss E. Brooks, Garfield Hospital.

PURSE—Brown leather; containing $12.15, notebook, pen, school car tickets; in black taxi, colored driver, Tuesday. Reward. Dec. 1337.

SILVER FOX double scarf; lost on or about Monday, Dec. 12. Finder please return to Mrs. Wm. D. Thomas, Greystone, Klingle rd., Rk. Ck. Pk. Liberal reward. Cleve. 6230.

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DOG—Brindle. Will lady who called Col. 1602, please call again?

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LAFAYETTE, French hero of the American colonies' war for independence, arranged to ally himself with the American cause after a conference, December 7, 1776, in Paris, with Silas Dean, agent of the American Government. This agreement, made before Lafayette left France, and before he had ever seen the American army, provided that he was to be a major general in the American army. He was only 19 years old at the time and could not speak English.

Although his friends were strong in their objections to his proposed move, and the king of France ordered him to remain in France, Lafayette escaped from his country in disguise in order to join the American forces. He learned what little English he could while en route to America. When he arrived in this country he offered to give up his command and enter the service as a private, but Congress passed a resolution making him a major general.

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CHEVY CHASE, D. C.—Immediate possession, 3349 Tennyson st.; beautiful, detached home; 8 rooms (servant's room), 2 baths; oil burner; pantry; attic; garage; very reasonable. Owner, Lincoln 9400 or North 8765.

DESIRABLE—N. E., semidetached bungalow, 6 rooms, bath, h.-w. h.; double garage; redecorated; avail. Jan. 1. Atl. 1287.

DETACHED—6-room suburban home, near Rhode Is. ave. ne.; oil heat; entirely modern; nice yard; arranged for 2 families; $50 month. Owner, Greenwood 2637.

MASS. AVE. NE., 300—Corner; ideal location for dr.; 9 well-planned rms.; h.-w. h., electricity. Owner, Atl. 3415.

NEAR Congressional Library, 130 C st. se. —Suitable member of Congress; 10 rms., 2 baths; hot-water heat, inst. water heater, elec., refrig.; garage. Ad. 8188.

N. E. BUNGALOW—5 rooms, modern bath, with shower; excel. condition; gas furnace; nice porches; refs. Atl. 1287.

PARK RD. NW., 1754; Large residence, splendid condition; reasonable. Sefton Darr or Harlan Wood. Dist. 4666.

4-ROOM BUNGALOW; 7-room house, large s. porch; garage; small apt., heated. Reduced. Owner. Shep. 2408.

WE HAVE for rent, modern houses in good sections. Reasonable rentals. W. C. & A. N. Miller, 1119 17th st. nw. Dist. 4464.

1419 WHITTIER ST. NW.—Semidetached; 9 rooms, 2 baths, including maid's quarters; garage; h.-w. h.; bargain. Col. 0085.

WANTED—REAL ESTATE 77

I PAY CASH for small houses, white or colored, regardless of condition. Wm. J. Callanan, 1427 Eye nw.; Nat. 5971.

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H. I. PHILLIPS

PORTRAIT OF THE HOLIDAY SPIRIT.

(As it seemed in the shopping belt.)

YULETIDE'S such a blessed time,
Hallowed by the years—
(Hey, don't push me! Wotta crime!
Gwan! Pin back your ears!)
Sentiment now swells and soars,
Love is in the air—
(Lemme through these foldin' doors!
Who? Well you just dare!)

II.

Now's the time when all mankind
Gentle feels and sweet—
(Quitcher shovin', there behind!
Aw, get off my feet!)
How benevolent the mood!
How unselfish all!
(Say, you needn't be so rude!
Aw, go hire a hall!)

III.

Tenderness is ev'rywhere,
Patience is our guide—
(Gee, that dame gets in my hair!
Okay! Step outside!)
Happiness we strive to spread,
Cheer and comfort, too—
(Listen—I heard whatcher said!
Who the heck are you?)

IV.

Full of sweetness is each heart,
Full of love each soul—
(Hey! Stop tearing me apart!
Help! He took my roll!)
Friendly is the atmosphere,
Kindly ev'ry face—
(You can't bawl me out, old dear!
Think ya own this place?)

V.

Myrrh and incense all about—
Truth and love and light—
(Didja hear that huzzy shout?
Help! Police! A fight!)
'Tis the season when we'd share
Blessings far and wide—
(Shoes! Hats! Dresses! Underwear!
Don't crowd! Step one side!)

VI.

How we yield to Yuletide's spell—
Oh, the thrill, the joy!
(Aw, go tell the boss! That's swell!
Drop that purse, big boy!)
Peace on earth, good will to men—
Christmas time once more—
(Hardware! Baseball bats and guns!
On the seventh floor!)

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THE USEFUL RADIO.

An invention is now said to make possible typewriting by radio. If we can get the radio station to change the ribbon everything will be dandy.

EASY.

President Hoover dedicated two corner stones at the same time the other day. It is all a wrist motion.

Bank holdups, store robberies and gun play in our city streets are raging at such a pace that, thanks to the movie magnates, the country's cinema course in crime is proving a great success.

Simile from Robert W. Rogers: As despondent as a Republican postmaster.

Surgeons now plan to give patients the benefit of music while under an anesthetic. In the clinics the favorite will be, obviously, Sousa's "Free Lance March."

PARIS STYLE NOTE.

The latest French creation in women's wear is the default gown, tight, narrow and close cut.

FINANCING SANTA.

Santa has had to get a loan from the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, the Coolidge-Smith committee is inquiring into his needs, the bankers have agreed to advance him some funds if he lays off a few reindeer, and it seems fairly certain that he will manage to get around Christmas Eve if there is no agitation for a moratorium on sleighs.

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FREE LEGAL COURSE OFFERED TO POLICE BY COLUMBUS DEAN

Commissioners Indorse Idea of Detective Chief for Evidence Study.

The creation of a school of evidence and criminal procedure at Columbus University for members of the Metropolitan Police Department as recommended by Chief of Detectives Frank S. W. Burke was approved yesterday by the District Commissioners.

This departure in police educational work, which was also approved by Superintendent of Police Ernest W. Brown, is the result of a series of conferences instigated by the detective chief. Dean John R. Fitzpatrick, who attended the conferences, offered the facilities of Columbus University, as well as his personal services, in conducting the course.

Dean Is Praised.

"Through the generosity of Dean Fitzpatrick and the university," Inspector Burke said, "we hope to be able to give ambitious policemen a more thorough knowledge of the fundamentals of criminal law, evidence and procedure. Very often, in the prosecution and investigation of crime, a knowledge of these fundamentals means the difference between success and failure for the law enforcement agency."

The courses will be open to all members of the Police Department. Inspector Burke said, but only 100 may be accommodated during the first course, which will begin on January 5, and last for 30 weeks. Classes will be held twice a week.

Outline of Course.

The course will include instruction in the following: Functions of the court and jury; testimonial evidence, both direct and cross-examination; competency of witnesses; illegally obtained evidence, and the admissability of dying declarations and confessions.

"The course," Inspector Burke said, "will be virtually the same that is given to law students at the university, but emphasis will be placed upon aspects of the study which are especially important to police officers. After this course has been completed we hope to extend the instructions to other subjects which are invaluable to policemen. There will be no charge to the policeman. He is only required to furnish his own books, which cost a small sum."

Gas Kills Woman; Note Gives Reason

Mrs. Florence Coe Found on Floor Unconscious. by Husband.

Leaving a note explaining her action, Mrs. Florence A. Coe, 50, of 606 Florence street northwest, yesterday morning ended her life by inhaling gas from a jet on a kitchen stove in her home.

She was found unconscious by her husband, who summoned Casualty Hospital ambulance, but all efforts to revive her were futile. She was on the kitchen floor, with a pillow under her head and a tube leading from one of the jets to her mouth.

Dr. A. Magruder Macdonald, deputy coroner, issued a certificate of suicide. A note found by her side read: "One o'clock at night; this man as drunk as he can be and language not fit for a dog to hear. I would prefer death to it."

Oxygen Tanks Are Stolen.

Acetylene and oxygen tanks and a complete walking outfit, all valued at $125, were stolen Thursday night from the Lescalleet Auto Service and Garage, at 900 M street southeast.

Christmas Celebrations in Capital

Post Staff Photo.

Various local organizations celebrate Christmas with exercises and parties. Upper left—The Jacob Jones Post of the American Legion last night prepared toys for 90 children and baskets of food for 28 families whose names had been supplied by The Washington Post. The committee at work, left to right—Genevieve Sparshott, Lillian Caldwell, Mary Z. Weide, commander; Ann Frame and Helen Opitz. Elizabeth Gladman in front. Upper right—The Potomac Heights-Conduit Road Citizens Association sing carols around a livng Christmas tree. Left to right—The Rev. Paul G. Linaweaver, St. David's Chapel; the Rev. L. Barrett Rice, of Community Church; C. W. Steves, president, Palisades Garden Club; Ellis R. King, vice president, citizens association; Mrs. Frances Sherrier Behr and Mrs. L. Barrett Rice. Lower—Mt. Alto Hospital has its annual party for the veterans with high military, naval and civil officials in attendance.

SCENES OF ENGLAND 30 YEARS AGO SEEN

Lecture Accompanies Show of National Geographic at Auditorium.

The running of the London Derby at Epsom Downs with more than 100,000 visitors thronging the grand stands and the track side, London as it appeared three decades ago with its strange fashions and the teeming traffic of Trafalgar Square and Picadilly Circus, and interesting bits of rural life in England were described and shown in pictures to members of the National Geographic Society last night at the Washington Auditorium by Burton Holmes.

Along with beautifully colored slides of the many spacious London parks, Mr. Holmes showed members a few of the "soap-box orators" in one corner of Hyde Park, where England allows most anyone to vent his pet theories on subjects ranging from religion and economics to politics.

One of the high lights of Mr. Holmes' talk was his description, illustrated by motion pictures, of the busy London harbor, where ships from the seven seas discharge their cargoes. Tobacco from America, wool and sugar from Australia, rubber from Malay and frozen sheep from the Argentine are among the thousands of commodities arriving ships disgorge for the inspection of the London port authority before they are shipped inland.

Bond street, the Fifth avenue of London; the largest department store in England, which was established and is owned by an American, and views of college life at Oxford, Cambridge and Eton were also described and illustrated with slides and motion pictures.

Local Elks to Give 400 Baskets to Needy Today

Four hundred Christmas baskets will be distributed by community welfare committee of the Washington Lodge No. 15, B. P. O. Elks, this morning.

Joseph J. Leary, chairman of the committee, will be assisted by Exalted Ruler Leonard M. Gawler, Joseph P. Hagerty, Dr. John T. Ready, James Murray, Nathan Weill, William S. Shelby, Thomas King, Harvey C. Belt, George C. Wathen, William Keefer, Gus Brahler, William K. Rogers, Edward Venable, Dr. David Fitzgibbons, John Dillon Fitzgerald and Arthur A. Riemer.

Christmas Seals Radio Appeals Set for Today

Two radio appeals to the people of Washington to buy Christmas seals for the support of the Tuberculosis Association's health service program will be made today as the annual sale closes.

The speakers will be Commissioner Luther H. Reichelderfer, who will go on the air at 9 a. m., and Representative Kent Keller, of Illinois, at 11:45 a. m.

TRAFFIC TOLL TO DATE.

A great many accidents may be avoided if motorists will pay a little more attention to the manner in which they park their cars on steep grades and inclines.

There have been a number of cases reported where owners have parked their machines on inclines and the brakes have loosened, thus allowing them to coast down the hill with disastrous results.

It is a very simple matter to turn the front wheels hard over to the right, thus letting a great deal of the car's gravitational pull rest on the curbing. If this is done there need be no worry about the auto sailing off by itself, inflicting damage and possible injuries.

The accident figures follow:

	1931.	1932.
Deaths	74	117
Injuries	3,421	3,660
Accidents	7,797	7,437

"Be Careful!"

SIX FALSE ALARMS KEEP TRUCKS BUSY

Another Firebug Suspected of Pulling Boxes in Same Locality.

Six false fire alarms in the same section of the city during the same hours on consecutive mornings have led police to believe that another firebug has been pulling the boxes for the satisfaction of seeing the fire trucks run. All the boxes have been pulled between midnight and 3 a. m.

About 12:30 a. m. Thursday, a box was pulled at Fifth and P streets northwest. About 45 minutes later a box at Seventh and R streets northwest sounded. Around 3 a. m. an alarm came from Kirby and N streets, and 30 minutes later the box at Sixth and N streets northwest was pulled.

Yesterday morning at 12:30, the box at Kirby and Morgan streets northwest called the fire trucks to no fire, and 30 minutes later a box at Fourth and O streets northwest sounded.

On descriptions given by employes at the Homeopathic Hospital, who are reported to have seen one of the boxes pulled, police believe a colored man is responsible.

On September 16, through a maneuver of J. M. McInnerney, who was on the fire board, police captured William E. Foreman, 20, colored, 1227½ Duncan street northeast, who later confessed to pulling about 25 fire boxes

Mail Courtship Ends In Greenwich Wedding

Douglas Lee Kent, 35, aerial photographer and son of Nelson H. Kent, of 2025 I street northwest, was married yesterday at Greenwich, Conn., to Miss Phyllis R. Thorene, 33, of Brooklyn, N. Y., according to an Associated Press dispatch.

The couple said their marriage followed a romance carried on largely by mail from South America, where Kent was surveying oil lands. They drove to New York after the ceremony.

Burglars Raid Laundry Office.

Burglars, who apparently used a duplicate key, stole $40 which had been hidden beneath the cash register at the West End Laundry, 1006 Fifteenth street northwest. The theft was reported by Mrs. Rita Henshaw, 763 Tenth street northwest.

PROSECUTION URGED IN 'RENT RING' HERE AT SENATE HEARING

Action Is Called Vital for Protection of Interests of Residents.

Prosecution of local real estate dealers allegedly involved in an "unlawful combination" charged with controlling rents for nearly 18,000 apartment dwellings and homes, was recommended to the Senate rent investigating subcommittee yesterday by Oscar H. Brinkman, investigator for the subcommittee.

Roger J. Whiteford, counsel for the Washington Real Estate Board, sought time for rebuttal of charges. Chairman Arthur Capper said ample opportunity will be given when the subcommittee meets again at 10:30 o'clock Tuesday morning.

"The combination is one that can and should be prosecuted under existing laws and conviction and imprisonment of the participants is necessary and vital for the protection of the public interests," Mr. Brinkman concluded in a five-page summary of charges.

Based on Records.

He said he based his allegations on records of the Washington Real Estate Board.

"These records clearly show, upon even casual examination, confirmed by close study, the existence of a combination unlawful in its nature and purposes and oppressive to home buyers and tenants in the District of Columbia, as well as in the suburbs adjacent to the District," he said.

He charged that the combination's purposes were to use concerted effort to prevent rent reductions, to fix minimum and excessive scales of commissions for loans on real estate, to fix rates of commission on renewals of mortgages, to restrict competition in renewal of maturing loans, to limit advertising of members of the board, to restrict the giving of free rent as inducement to tenants to sign leases, to "black list" tenants who had leases with other board members unwilling to release them, to restrict apartment properties each to the control of one agent only, to fix minimum commission of 5 per cent for collection of rentals and to influence judges of Municipal Court not to extend leniency to tenants in eviction cases.

Workings Described.

"Members of this unlawful combination were closely associated with the financial institutions of the city and have almost a strangle hold on the available funds for real estate financing in the Nation's Capital," Brinkman charged.

He said:

"The Washington Real Estate Board worked in cooperation with the Operative Builders Association, the District Bankers Association, the Building Owners and Managers Association and other similar groups in a tie-up so complete that for any member to disregard or violate the rules and restrictions limiting competition might easily result in financial ruin for such individual."

Woman Autoist Injured.

Miss Nettie Hebb, 47, suffered face and body injuries yesterday when the car of Walter Hebb, 27, 1413 Girard street northwest, in which she rode, was struck by a car driven by James Briscoe, 47, colored, 1040 Third street northwest. She was treated at Emergency Hospital but allowed to return home.

Thieves Break Into Store.

Ralph Smith, manager of a Sanitary grocery reported that the front door of his store was broken open Thursday night by thieves who stole groceries valued at $21.25.

CHANUKAH FESTIVAL OF HEBREWS OPENS

Services at All Synagogues Mark Start of 8-Day Celebration.

A single slender candlelight flickered in Jewish homes the world over last night, symbolic of the spirit that sustained monotheism against Greek and Syrian legions in the year 156 B. C.

Essentially a home festival, the eight-day observance of Chanukah was begun with services at all local synagogues. Single candles were lighted and on each succeeding day of the celebration and additional flame will be lighted.

Gifts are exchanged and songs are sung as family groups gather to light the candles.

Dr. Abram Simon, leader of the Washington Hebrew Congregation, said in a sermon last night that the holiday was markedly similar to the Christmas celebration.

Jewish missionaries who spread the gospel of a single God throughout southern Europe before the advent of Christianity left a fertile field for the preaching of St. Paul, he stated. The message of peace and good will characteristic of both celebrations is another point of similarity.

Realization of the gospel of the parallel celebrations would breed a greater feeling of tolerance and world understanding, Dr. Simon said.

Rabbi Solomon Metz, of the Adas Israel Congregation, speaking on "When Greek Met Jew," described the holiday as symbolic of the triumph of spiritual forces over physical ones.

Rain Is Probable On Christmas Day

General Mild Weather Is in Store for Holiday Week-End.

Donner and Blitzen, the traditional reindeer steeds of old Santa, will have hard sledding tonight as the remnants of Washington's blizzard dwindle under the comparatively mild temperature.

Occasional rains and cloudy weather is the forecast over the holiday week-end. The temperature will remain about the same.

Adjoining States also are slated to have mild weather over the next few days. A slight increase in temperature is promised for today, although long range weather forecasters have predicted a winter bristling with cold.

Virginian Reports Trio Took $37 From Him

James W. Cole, of Lee Heights, Va., reported to police last night he was held up and robbed of $37 by a colored woman and two colored men in front of 3337 K street northwest.

He said the trio jumped out of a taxicab, which waited while they robbed him at pistol point.

Baby Who Choked On Bone Is Saved

Mother's Quick Action in Calling Aid Prevents Serious Results.

Quick action by the mother in calling the fire rescue squad and a physician prevented serious consequences when 16-month-old Dolores Apert attempted to swallow a piece of chicken bone yesterday afternoon.

When the infant began choking and strangling while playing on the floor, the mother, Mrs. Anna Apert, 401 V street northwest, immediately called the rescue squad and a physician.

The bone was removed without injury to the child.

Missing Boy Returns Tardily From Movies

Soon after he had been reported missing to police by his parents Thursday night, Raymond C. Bobo, 8, of 1408 Girard street northwest, turned up at his home.

The boy had been left at a motion picture by his father and he stayed to see the show several times before he came home, police said.

Dr. Gilbert Grosvenor To Welcome Teachers

New types of examinations in geography will be a major subject of discussion at the annual meeting of the National Council of Geography Teachers, opening Monday at the Shoreham Hotel.

Dr. Gilbert Grosvenor, president of the National Geographic Society, will greet the council at its initial meeting

Jewelry Worth $200 Is Stolen.

Jewelry valued at $200 was reported stolen from the home of Mrs. Beulah Lamarcke, 8 Barney circle southeast. Mrs. Lamarcke told police a window in the basement was broken.

WOODCOCK DEFENDS USING BOOTLEGGERS

Prohibition Head Declares Department Grants No Favors for Tips.

Amos W. W. Woodcock, director of prohibition, yesterday defended the practice of the prohibition bureau in using as tipsters men who are known by the dry forces to be bootleggers.

Mr. Woodcock returned to Washington from a Western business trip, and was discussing testimony presented in Federal Court in Baltimore last Wednesday by William I. Blandford, deputy prohibition director in Washington.

Mr. Blandford, from the stand, identified William Plummer, whose name figured in a hijacking case, as "a notorious bootlegger," and as "the best informer I ever had."

"I know nothing first hand of the Plummer case," Mr. Woodcock said, "having just returned to the office."

"It would be distinctly improper for any member of the bureau to permit a violator to operate if he had evidence, or could get evidence, in a lawful way, of his violations.

"There is nothing improper, on the other hand, in receiving and using evidence from one who is a violator."

DAILY WEATHER REPORT

TODAY'S SUN AND TIDE TABLE

			A.M.	P.M.
Sun rises	7:25	High tide	4:42	5:15
Sun sets	4:51	Low tide	11:00	12:00

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

U. S. Dept. of Agriculture, Weather Bureau, Washington, Friday, Dec. 23—8 p. m.

Forecast for the District of Columbia—Cloudy, probably occasional rain Saturday and Sunday; not much change in temperature; moderate southwest and south winds.

For Maryland—Cloudy, probably occasional rain Saturday and Sunday; slowly rising temperature Sunday.

For Virginia—Cloudy, probably rain Sunday and in north and extreme west portions Saturday; rising temperature Sunday and in south portion Saturday.

The Texas disturbance is moving northeastward, being central over southeastern Oklahoma, 29.68 inches, and another disturbance is moving rapidly eastward over Vermont, Northfield, 29.88 inches. Pressure is also low west of Hudson Bay, Chesterfield Inlet, 29.06 inches. Pressure continues high but falling in the South Atlantic States, Charlotte, 30.44 inches, and pressure is high over eastern Arizona, Phoenix, 30.06 inches, and on the middle Pacific coast, Eureka, 30.20 inches. A high-pressure area of slight intensity is moving rapidly eastward over the upper Lake region, Marquette, 30.10 inches. Rains have occurred in the Pacific States, the middle and west Gulf States, the Ohio and Mississippi Valleys, the Lake region, northern New England and in Missouri, and rains or snows in the middle and northern Plateau. Temperatures have risen in the Ohio and middle Mississippi Valleys and in portions of the lower Lake region.

Local Weather Report.

Temperature—Midnight, 30; 2 a. m., 26; 4 a. m., 26; 6 a. m., 25; 8 a. m., 25; 10 a. m., 35; 12 noon, 44; 2 p. m., 50; 4 p. m., 52; 6 p. m., 50; 8 p. m., 47; 10 p. m., 45. Highest, 52; lowest, 24. Relative humidity—8 a. m., 94; 2 p. m., 44; 8 p. m., 52; 6 p. m., 30; 8 p. m., 43; 10 p. m., none. Hours of sunshine, 2.2. Per cent of possible sunshine, 26.

DEPARTURES FROM NORMAL.

Accumulated excess of temperature since January 1, 1932, 783 degrees.

Excess of temperature since December 1, 1932, 1 degree.

Accumulated excess of precipitation since January 1, 1932, 5.90 inches.

Deficiency of precipitation since December 1, 1932, 0.70 inch.

Temperatures and Precipitation.

Temperatures and precipitation for 24 hours ended 8 p. m. Friday:

	Highest	Lowest Thur. night.	Fri. 8 p.m.	Rain-fall.
Washington, D. C.	52	28	47	....
Asheville, N. C.	54	42	52	....
Atlanta, Ga.	54	46	50	....
Baltimore, Md.	50	28	44	....
Bismarck, N. Dak.	36	10	26	....
Boston, Mass.	50	—	46	0.06
Chicago, Ill.	44	34	40	1.00
Cincinnati, Ohio	60	38	58	....
Cheyenne, Wyo.	44	14	28	....
Davenport, Iowa	42	34	38	0.82
Denver, Colo.	44	20	34	....
Detroit, Mich.	46	28	44	1.18
Duluth, Minn.	36	22	24	....
Galveston, Tex.	66	60	66	0.04
Helena, Mont.	44	24	34	....
Indianapolis, Ind.	56	36	56	0.44
Kansas City, Mo.	40	34	38	0.56
Little Rock, Ark.	66	48	66	0.39
Louisville, Ky.	66	40	60	0.10
Marquette, Mich.	40	32	30	....
Miami, Fla.	76	72	74	....
Mobile, Ala.	68	58	64	....
New York, N. Y.	48	36	42	....
North Platte, Nebr.	42	12	30	....
Philadelphia, Pa.	52	32	47	....
Phoenix, Ariz.	54	32	54	0....
Pittsburgh, Pa.	60	30	58	....
Portland, Oreg.	44	38	42	1.36
St. Louis, Mo.	52	42	48	0.21
San Antonio, Tex.	72	66	68	0.24
San Diego, Calif.	60	44	54	....
Santa Fe, N. Mex.	—	—	44	....
Savannah, Ga.	70	52	60	....
Springfield, Ill.	52	38	48	0.90
Toledo, Ohio	50	30	46	0.46
Vicksburg, Miss.	72	60	70	....

River Bulletin.

Harpers Ferry, W. Va., Dec. 23.—Potomac and Shenandoah Rivers clear.

BIRTHS, DEATHS AND MARRIAGES

BIRTHS REPORTED.

Paul and Sue Stanley, girl.
Donald E. and Robert C. Myers, girl.
John E. and Louise Deadmon, girl.
Philip E. and Mary M. Smith, girl.
Egbert J. and Charlotte Armstrong, girl.
Myer and Jennie Ostrower, girl.
James H. and Dorothy Smith, girl.
Douglas W. and Dorothy Winters, girl.
Waldo E. and Mae M. Whybren, boy.
Edward and Clara Brygger, boy.
William P. and Christina Cavanaugh, boy.
Joseph J. and Grace F. Ganey, boy.
Morris and Tillie Kaufman, boy.
Lewis M. and Gladys Anderson, boy.
Maxwell M. and Louella Ward, boy.
David A. and Louise Peterson, boy.
Selvester and Jennie Pointer, boy.
Andrew and Sarah Burr, girl.
James and Cecelia Braxton, girl.
Preston and Virginia Bruce, girl.
Victor E. and Lillian Young, girl.
Franklin and Louvenia Jackson, girl.
John T. and Willie Giles, girl.
Charles and Ella Jackson, girl.
Jerry and Ruby Rembert, girl.
Cornelius and Louise Jackson, girl.
Theodore and Nezzie Allen, girl.
Theodore and Isabelle Morton, girl.
Kermit and Florence Gilbert, girl.
Alvarado and Lulu Beasley, boy.
Clarence L. and Oseeno Mitchell, boy.
George and Lillian McDaniels, boy.
Wilson E. and Birdie Tucker, boy.
Horace and Evelyn Beverly, boy.
Robert and Lilly Gordon, boy.
John L. and Ossie Bechrest, boy.
George W. and Emma Walls, boy.
Ashley and Elsie Harris, boy.

LICENSED TO MARRY.

Hunter Pope Mulford, 37, 1865 Park rd. nw., and Margaret Lent, 33, 1526 Corcoran st. nw. The Rev. U. G. B. Pierce.
Frederic L. Syler, 27, 2728 Woodley rd. nw., and Corita E. Hunter, 27, 1728 P st. nw. The Rev. S. B. Daugherty.
Max J. Wilson, 28, 2132 Pennsylvania ave. nw., and Nettie Sobler, 25, same address. Rabbi J. Dabrof.
William H. Hammick, 28, 1226 17th st. nw., and Frances Humphries, 22, 1740 18th st. nw. The Rev. F. B. Harris.
Earl A. Kenzer, 23, 5220 Sherrier pl. nw., and Zelda L. Bailey, 20, 206 17th st. se. The Rev. J. C. Copenhaver.
Clyde W. Young, 26, 2131 N st. nw., and Jacqueline Webb, 20, same address. The Rev. Forney Hutchinson.
John S. Hermans, 22, 220 2d st. se., and Ethel L. May, 19, same address. The Rev. W. E. Abernethy.
Raymond C. Fraas, 28, 1516 1st st. nw., and Irma M. Baum, 21, 2235 Prout st. ne. The Rev. J. W. Buckley.
Sam Perets, 49, 440 K st. nw., and Rose Katz, 35, 1244 7th st. nw. Rabbi Aaron Volkman.
William R. Sanford, 21, 450 I st. sw., and Cora L. Clark, 21, 217 F st. ne. The Rev. J. E. Briggs.
Carleton Smith, 36, Dupont Circle Apts., and Katherine C. Berry, 30, University, Va. The Rev. Paul Sperry.
Isaac C. Young, 27, Annapolis Hotel, and Jeanette Rabinovitz, 25, New Castle, Pa. Rabbi Silverstone.
Kavanaugh Bush, 23, 1900 F st. nw., and Beatrice R. Combs, 19, Fayetteville, Ark. The Rev. R. L. Wolven.
Floyd J. Dubas, 22, 1820 Clydesdale pl. nw., and Helen M. Fitzgerald, 28, Salem, Ill. The Rev. T. A. J. Walsh.
William E. Evans, 32, 1713 A st. se., and Virginia O. Haynie, 22, 31 K st. ne. The Rev. Forney Hutchinson.
Lawrence C. Tisinger, 23, and Marguerite L. Polk, 19, both of Mount Jackson, Va. The Rev. H. M. Hennig.
Douglas Thompson, 23, and Virginia Williams, 18, both of Huntley, Va. The Rev. A. E. Owens.
Arthur L. Hendrickson, 30, and Josephine Salter, 21, both of North Tarrytown, N. Y. Judge E. Mattingly.
Caswell McWhirt, 27, and Ruth Walsh, 20, both of Fredericksburg, Va. The Rev. W. S. Abernethy.
John Kollar, 24, Cleveland, Ohio, and Mary K. Thompson, 30, Belair, Md. The Rev. H. M. Hennig.
John C. Karrick, 26, and Frances M. Stein, 24, both of Baltimore, Md. Judge E. E. Mattingly.
Elmer H. Hutchings, 38, Sharpstown, Md., and Maria B. Phillips, 36, Delmar, Del. Judge R. E. Mattingly.
Alker V. Anderson, 33, 1344 R st. nw., and Marguerite M. Price, 26, Norfolk, Va. The Rev. C. T. Murray.
William H. Tinsley, 21, 2203 14th st. nw., and Ruth Hardy, 19, 603 Florida ave. nw. The Rev. W. H. Thomas.
Nathan Abel, 24, 618 U st. nw., and Theresa Christian, 21, Brooklyn, N. Y. The Rev. J. E. Graham.
George H. Bundick, 38, 346 W st. nw., and Margaret Lightfoot, 26, 139 T st. nw. The Rev. W. O. Carrington.
William Washington, 32, 2124 9th st. nw., and Ruth Truhart, 21, 1111 R st. nw. The Rev. Lee Stewart.
Wilford K. McKenzie, 27, 2622½ Wade rd. se., and Mabel Blucker, 19, 1524 O st. nw. The Rev. J. T. Marshall.
Wall Morgan, 33, 2024 4th st. nw., and Beatrice Gray, 32, same address. The Rev. E. F. Howard.
George Grant, 49, 1324 T st. nw., and Clara Webster, 52, 315 H st. sw. The Rev. W. L. Washington.
Percival R. Bowman, 21, 1433 Morris rd. se., and Avis E. Jones, 19, 1438 Morris rd. se. The Rev. W. D. Jarvis.
Lewis Sweetenburg, 20, 933 4th st. nw., and Mamie J. Oglesby, 20, rear of 214 G st. nw. The Rev. W. H. Jernigan.

Licenses issued at Rockville, Md.:
George E. Tomlinson, 28, Upper Marlboro, Md., and Margaret P. Zimmerman, 22, 3061½ Indiana avenue northwest.
Leonard Watkins, 28, Washington, and Gertrude Thomas, 21, Fairfax, Va.
John H. McElfresh, 19, Brownsgtown, Md., and Evelyn May Rippeon, 18, Hyattstown, Md.
Cecil R. Rodgers, 29, and Verda Loreta Fox, 32, both of Luray, Va.
Herman Brown, 22, and Margaret Offutt, 20, both of Laytonsville, Md.
John Newkirk, 25, and Roxie McNeil, 26, both of Washington.
Grant O. Abel, 27, Falls Church, Va., and Mae Henderson, 40, Detroit, Mich.

Marriage licenses have been issued in Upper Marlboro to:
William Maitland, 36, of 914 I street northwest, and Genevieve Fletchinger, 34, of Baltimore.
Joseph Wills Moreland, 21, of Landover, and Reeta Virginia Read, 18, of Capitol Heights.

DEATHS REPORTED.

Julia F. Morris, 83 yrs., 1419 R st. nw.
Mary B. Young, 81 yrs., 3445 Ordway st. nw.
Henrietta Wise, 78 yrs., 2000 N. Cap. st.
Claude L. Poindexter, 76 yrs., St. Elizabeths Hosp.
Ida G. Myers, 74 yrs., 1332 I st. nw.
Nellie C. Huhn, 73 yrs., 420 11th st. ne.
Delia M. Fenane, 72 yrs., Washington Home for Incurables.
Charles E. Schroeder, 68 yrs., 524 9th se.
Leon S. Leap, 65 yrs., 417 N. J. ave. se.
Robert E. Nolan, 64 yrs., Providence Hosp.
Samuel Reeves, 63 yrs., Providence Hosp.
John McLean, 59 yrs., Gallinger Hosp.
Blenn S. Basin, 58 yrs., Sibley Hosp.
James A. McDonnell, 53 yrs., 2415 Pa. ave. nw.
Zanie Robey, 48 yrs., 1515 Spring rd. nw.
August W. Pier, 34 yrs., Walter Reed Hosp.
Herbert V. Ward, 30 yrs., U. S. Naval Hosp.
Frank W. Alvares, 30 yrs., en route to U. S. Naval Hosp.
Alice K. Oliver, 23 yrs., 941 K st. nw.
George Valtos, 10 yrs., Children's Hosp.
Infant of Clyde and Lucy Perris, 6 days, Childrens' Hosp.
Infant of Clarence H. and Irma K. Rhodes, Gallinger Hosp.
Samuel Carter, 72 yrs., 22 Pierce ct. sw.
Minnie Day, 70 yrs., 332 W st. nw.
Henry Twyman, 57 yrs., en route Emergency Hosp.
Estelle Thomas, 55 yrs., Gallinger Hosp.
Hattie O. Dyson, 54 yrs., 1753 U st. nw.
Mary Sledge, 48 yrs., Gallinger Hosp.
Henry Williams, 44 yrs., 1727 7th st. nw.
Louise Joseph, 43 yrs., 132 E st. sw.
Bessie Gray, 40 yrs., 801 4th st. ne.
Lula Palmer, 38 yrs., Gallinger Hosp.
Mary McIntosh, 21 yrs., Freedmen's Hosp.
Clairdean Turner, 18 yrs., Garfield Hosp.
Dorothy Summerville, 5 yrs., Children's Hosp.
Jerry Sharp, 2 yrs., Children's Hosp.

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